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Hopkins Tells Senators He Erred, Denies Political Acts

Worked for Chief, He Says; Regrets Only Things Undone For the Unemployed

In Congress

PROF. FELIX FRANKFURTER, Presidential nominee for the Supreme Court, will appear today before the Senate sub-committee which for two days has heard witnesses oppose his confirmation.—Page 2.

FORMER SENATOR POPE, of Idaho, was approved by the Senate Agriculture Committee to be a member of the TVA board of directors.—Page 2.

FRANK MURPHY, whose nomination as Attorney General won committee approval on Tuesday, was criticized and defended on the floor of the House.—Page 2.

Conscience Clear

By Robert C. Albright.

Harry L. Hopkins yesterday faced a Senate test of his "fitness" for Secretary of Commerce with a spirited defense of Administration relief policies and his record as member of the President's "team."

The wan, gangling, former Works Progress Administrator told the Senate Commerce Committee he made many "mistakes" he would not make again if he "had the same road to go over."

He said if he could retrace his steps as Works Progress Administrator he would not again make "political" speeches.

He said if he had the job to do over he would have "fired point blank" Kentucky WPA officials charged with canvassing WPA votes.

No Apologies to Make

But he heatedly denied that WPA under his administration was a "political institution" and asserted: "I will tell you quite frankly I have no apologies to make. Nobody knows any better than I that I made mistakes. But if I were leaving today, the things that would bother me most are the things that I didn't do for the unemployed."

His responses alternately were aggressively blunt or mildly acquiescent as he answered a steady fire of questions directed at him all day by Democratic and Republican members of the committee that must pass on his confirmation.

Hearings will resume this morning with Hopkins again on the stand. Meanwhile the committee in executive session will determine how long the hearings will run, and what additional witnesses to call.

In nearly four hours on the stand, Hopkins—

Denied he ever believed in socialism and could not recall ever registering as a Socialist.

Opposed "sit-down" strikes.

Declared against indefinite continuance of "deficit financing."

Asserted continued Federal spending is necessary at this time

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Doctor Gives Up Hope for Ruppert; 'End Very Near'

New York, Jan. 11 (AP).—Col. Jacob Ruppert's personal physician tonight gave up hope for the recovery of the multimillionaire brewer, baseball magnate and real estate titan but expressed belief the 71-year-old bachelor's unusual vitality might carry him through the night.

"Col. Ruppert's condition is very very serious," said Dr. Otto Schwerdtfeger. "The end is very near."

Chaperau Admits Smuggling Goods With Jack Benny

New York, Jan. 11 (AP).—Albert N. Chaperau, who escaped customs inspection of jewels and Parisian finery on a false claim of diplomatic immunity, pleaded guilty today to a smuggling indictment charging conspiracy with Radio Comedian Jack Benny.

His attorney followed the surprise move by saying Chaperau, who had a wide acquaintance in Hollywood and on Broadway, would "help the Government" by telling of smuggling activities.

Benny, who flew here from California to appear before the grand jury, indignantly denied the charges and, after pleading innocent, was released in $1,000 bail, pending trial on January 24.

O'Conor Takes Office, Predicts Tax Increase

Post Staff Photo.

GOV. HERBERT O'CONOR.

New Governor Promises Moves to Get Maryland Out of Red; 25,000 Cheer; Oystermen, Farmers and Miners March

(Pictures on Page 17, Gov. O'Conor's Text, Page 15.)

By Edward T. Folliard

A Staff Correspondent.

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 11.—Herbert Romulus O'Conor was Governor of Maryland tonight, political heir at 43 to the tradition, romance and glory that began accruing with Lord Baltimore in 1634.

He took the oath a few minutes after noon today, as a 19-gun salute boomed out and 25,000 cheered.

A half-hour later, standing on the portico of the State House in the sunshine of a mild January day, Gov. O'Conor, in his inaugural speech, proclaimed Maryland's days of borrowing and running in the red were over—that henceforth Maryland was operating on a pay-as-you-go basis and that new and higher taxes were in sight.

"We must not live on borrowed money," he said. "We do not have the right to mortgage the future of our State unduly to meet present needs. . . .

"Even with every possible economy, we shall have to raise additional revenue. This money should not be borrowed, but should be raised by increased taxation. There is no easy remedy, no palliative that is safe for the State and its people. . . .

"We go on from here. We wipe the slate clean and start afresh, plan-

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Lewis Denies Asking Welfare Board for Job

Relief Heads Reiterate They Have Proof In Their Records

Despite appeals for a cessation of hostilities, Burdette G. Lewis, District relief investigator, and Board of Public Welfare officials parried words yesterday over the question whether Lewis had ever applied to the board for a job.

Lewis branded as incorrect a statement by Frederick W. McReynolds, chairman of the Board of Public Welfare, that the board had rejected his application some years ago for a "subordinate position."

McReynolds a few days ago expressed hope the "apparent animus" toward the board in Lewis' report was not due to rejection for the position of local penal institutions, succeeding the late Capt. M. M. Barnard, who retired in 1937.

Never Applied, Lewis Says

Giving his side of the story, Lewis said he was called here in 1933 or 1934 to present a plan for reorganizing penal institutions after Capt. Barnard retired. At that time, he explained, he was field representative of the American Public Welfare Association.

He outlined his plan, he said, to Elwood Street, director of public welfare, and Street suggested that

See WELFARE, Page 4, Column 2.

Tax Advisers Indorse District Sales Levy

Exemptions Voted For Articles Less Than 25 Cents

By James D. Secrest.

The Citizens Advisory Committee yesterday indorsed the completed District tax report, which includes the proposed sales tax, and prepared it for submission to the joint committee on internal revenue taxation later this week.

Two members of the committee—Corporation Counsel Seal and John Locher, president of the Central Labor Union—again voted against the whole tax program and reiterated a demand for an outright personal income tax. This followed a plea by Senator King (Democrat), of Utah, for a united stand by the committee.

Lowered to 25 Cents

Major change made in the $12,000,000 revenue plan was to lower the exemptions from the proposed 2 per cent retail sales tax.

Whereas Dr. Chester B. Pond, Albany tax expert, had recommended that all articles selling for 25 cents or less be exempt, the committee voted to apply the levy to purchases at 25 cents though not below.

A suggested exemption on meals up to 75 cents also was lowered by

See TAXES, Page 4, Column 1.

Grandson Confesses Slaying Mrs. Baker, D. C. Man's Mother

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Swainsboro, Ga., Jan. 11.—A Nation-wide search for a 19-year-old boy, wanted in Providence, R. I., for slaying his grandmother, ended tonight when Georgia State patrolmen announced the youth had surrendered and signed a confession.

Corporal J. W. Robertson said Elmer Leduc, of Woonsocket, R. I., hungry and penniless, today admitted beating and strangling his grandmother, Mrs. Anna Baker, 72. She was the mother of Ellery W. Baker, of Brentwood, Md., employed in the examining division of the Federal Reserve Board in Washington.

Robertson told the Associated Press the boy described how he choked his grandmother in her apartment in Providence, and then beat her with a milk bottle. Her body was discovered a week ago. Providence medical examiners stated she had been criminally attacked.

Georgia officers said Leduc admitted robbery as motive for the killing. He surrendered to a fireman whom he mistook for a police officer.

The fireman turned him over to police, who notified officers in Providence.

In Providence, Comdr. Thomas F. Rattigan of the detective division, swore out a murder warrant and ordered officers to leave at once to get Leduc.

Rattigan said Leduc was under a five-year deferred sentence for purse-snatching at Woonsocket, and had a long record of petty crimes. He added that an order for Leduc's arrest had been sent out shortly after the slaying.

Besides her son in Washington, Mrs. Baker left a daughter, Mrs. Louis Leduc, of Woonsocket, and another son, Lester Baker, Sioux Falls, S. Dak.

'38 Business Of FHA Is 1½ Billion

Mortgages Appraised Gain 71 Per Cent, Insurance Rises 45 In Record Year

A total business of nearly $1,500,000,000 in 1938, the largest annual volume in its history, was transacted by the Federal Housing Administration, Administrator Stewart McDonald announced yesterday.

Reflecting the gain in home construction that marked housing's contribution to recovery last year, the FHA selected 71 per cent more in home mortgages for appraisal and accepted 45 per cent more in value of mortgages for insurance.

The announcement came while a Nation-wide drive to stimulate construction of a record number of homes in 1939 was being mapped at a New York meeting.

There, executives of 60 leading companies in the field agreed on co-operation with such Federal agencies as the FHA and the Federal Home Loan Bank Board in the new campaign, aimed especially at meeting demand for "houses costing from $2,000 to $5,000."

Mortgages selected for appraisal by the FHA totaled $1,010,000,000, as compared with $590,000,000 in 1937, and mortgages accepted for insurance amounte d to $648,000,000, as contrasted with $448,000,000.

Other Gains Registered

The total of mortgages accepted does not include conditional commitments to operative builders outstanding at the end of the year.

Property improvement loans insured under last February's amendments to the housing act amounted in the 11 months to $171,719,000. Disaster loans in the year totaled about $1,000,000.

Mortgage insuring operations in the multifamily and group housing phase of FHA made notable gains. Approximately $47,500,000 of premium-paying mortgages insured on large scale projects was added in 1938.

Testifying to the steady increase in business as the year progressed, mortgages selected for appraisal during December amounted to $78,900,000, a gain of 140 per cent over December, 1937.

At the end of the year, the FHA had written total insurance of $2,096,000,000, which included small home premium paying mortgages valued at $1,300,000,000, large scale mortgages valued at $62,000,000, and property improvement loans amounting to $733,000,000.

The New York meeting was called by Russell G. Creviston, president of the Producers Council, representing large firms dealing in building material and equipment, to cnosider a program proposed by Charles E. Wilson, executive vice president of General Electric Co., and chairman of the council's executive board.

The only detail left unsettled was the amount to be spent in a widespread newspaper advertising campaign to encourage taking advantage of Federal and private facilities for home improvement and home building.

It was said the American Institute of Architects has approved the program.

Children Weep As Police Hunt Their Dog's Slayer

(Picture on Page 3.)

Sobs of little children were the farewell to Fritz yesterday, and their tears spurred on police seeking the sniper who shot him down while he played Tuesday afternoon among happy youngsters in a southeast Washington backyard.

Fritz was a police dog; a big, lithe, friendly police dog who knew every boy and girl within cruising range of 1324 Valley place southeast, where he lived with his young master, Earl von Reichenbach, 6. Earl knew Fritz had been shot. His grief-stricken parents kept from him the news Fritz was dead until last night.

Eleventh Precinct police said last night the job of locating Fritz's slayer should not be particularly difficult. They said he could be held on three charges, unauthorized use of firearms, cruelty to animals and discharging firearms in the city limits.

Hopkins Named Calif. Fair Chairman

Secretary of Commerce Hopkins yesterday was named chairman of the United States Commission for the Golden Gate International Exposition, to succeed former Secretary Roper.

Senator Downey, of California, was named vice chairman, George Creel, United States Commissioner for the exposition, announced.

U.S. to War On Numbers Kings in Md.

Invokes Conspiracy Law to Trap Heads Who Direct D.C. Game From Across Line

The Government will swing a new weapon, the criminal conspiracy law, against the "higher-ups" who run the $1,000,000 Washington numbers racket from Maryland headquarters, a high official of the Department of Justice disclosed last night. One such indictment was returned yesterday.

Federal Bureau of Investigation agents will seek evidence to convict the "master minds" of plotting to violate the District gambling laws by means of agents who do the actual work of taking bets, while the backers themselves commit no crime in the District jurisdiction.

The first step toward definite cooperation by the District with authorities of nearby counties was taken yesterday by Commissioner Melvin C. Hazen when he called a tri-State conference for February 18 to lay out a campaign against gamblers and racketeers.

Federal Law Invoked

First indictment to charge conspiracy to violate the stringent District law, which was enacted to stamp out the numbers racket, was handed up to Justice Proctor yesterday. Juan R. Quijano, Filipino lawyer of the Earle Building and 144 Edmonston road, was accused with five others.

Inquiry at the Department of Justice brought to light determination to use the conspiracy laws against the numbers higher-ups was reached in conferences last week.

"It was decided that an FBI investigation ought to be made, with a view to prosecuting those behind the numbers racket for criminal conspiracy to violate a law of the United States, the law in question being the District statute against gambling and lotteries," a department official said. "If conspirators remained in Maryland, it would appear that they would not be guilty of violating the gambling law itself, because it only forbids gambling in the District. But the Federal law against conspiracy would reach them."

Small Fry Only

Under the new law the police have made a steady stream of arrests, but always "small fry" who handled transactions in pennies and in nickels. The explanation was determined to be that the operators had moved their headquarters to Maryland and nearby Virginia.

The numbers racket appeared to be concentrated in Prince Georges County, where dice, roulette, cards and other games have flourished without much molestation for more than a decade in "Jimmy's Place," a casino on the Bladensburg road.

One observer estimated last night that more than 50 numbers headquarters now are running in the county. These were said to act as clearing houses for thousands of dollars worth of bets placed in Washington at odds of 600 to 1.

The commissioners of Prince Georges County struck Tuesday at

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Notice of Hit-Run Suit Is Posted On Dodd's Door

By the Associated Press.

Leesburg, Va., Jan. 11.—Sheriff Adrian, of Loudoun County, said today he had posted on the door of William E. Dodd's home near Round Hill a notice of motion for judgment for $25,000 damages.

George Haw, attorney for James Grimes, colored, father of 5-year-old Glois Grimes, who was injured when allegedly struck by Dodd's automobile, said at Richmond he mailed the notice of motion to the sheriff Monday.

Sheriff Adrian said he posted the notice on the door because there was no one at home when he went to the house yesterday.

Dodd, former Ambassador from the United States to Germany, was arrested last month after the Grimes child was struck and seriously injured December 5 on the highway near Hanover Courthouse. Dodd told police he saw the girl, but did not know his car injured her.

Italian Princess Ill; Sister Defers Wedding

Rome, Jan. 11 (AP).—Princess Mafalda, 38, second child of King Vittorio Emanuele and Queen Elena, was reported to have passed a crisis today in an illness which had seemed to threaten her life.

The illness caused postponement of the wadding of her younger sister, Maria, to Prince Louis of Bourbon-Parma.

Italy Denies 'Menacing' French Territory as Chamberlain Arrives

Forbidden to Land Anywhere, 37 Refugees to Try New York

Driven From Germany With 'Fraudulent' Visas, They Ask Shelter at Ellis Island Until Some Country Offers Haven

Barred from landing on any foreign shore, 37 Jewish refugees from Germany last night were on a ship between Baltimore and New York City.

The small band of mothers, fathers and children are aboard the Chilean steamer Imperial, which last week sailed from Antwerp with 143 passengers driven from their homes in Germany.

In the face of warnings that they would be barred from landing at their destination because their visas were fraudulent, the group of 37 boarded ship hoping that a solution could be found to the problem.

Although they are not seeking entrance into this country, their situation was thrown into the laps of United States immigration officials yesterday in the hope they might be landed at Ellis Island until a country which will accept them can be found.

A few of the group carry scant possessions they were allowed to take out of Germany. Most of them had to leave cherished possessions behind.

Their situation was revealed here by James L. Houghteling, commissioner of immigration and naturalization, after he had received a request from Miss Cecelia Razovsky, director of the National Council of Jewish Women in New York City.

She asked Houghteling to permit the 37 to be taken off the Imperial at Ellis Island at the expense of her organization, which was seeking entrance for the group in Trinidad, British possession off the coast of Venezuela.

The American consul in Trinidad told the State Department

See SHIP, Page 6, Column 2.

Shots at Hague Consulate Stir Nazis to Fury

Press Blames Jews; Netherlands Warned To Give Protection

By the Associated Press.

Berlin (Thursday), Jan. 12.—Long-distance shots reportedly fired at a German consular official's private home and a legation secretary's work room in Holland caused an outburst of fury today in German papers which unanimously assumed the culprit must be Jewish.

Parallels were drawn from the killing of Ernst vom Rath, legation secretary in Paris by the 17-year-old Polish Jew, Herschel Grynszpan November 7, and the Netherlands government was advised to see to it that its hospitality to Jews was not further abused.

Further Steps Hinted

The reports printed here said the shots were fired by a person or persons at a consular official's home in Amsterday January 6 and at the legation in the Hague January 9.

(An Amsterdam dispatch last night said the German minister had called attention of the Netherlands foreign minister to the shots, and an investigation had been promised.)

A propaganda ministry spokesman said that it was possible further steps might follow the German envoy's representations but that nothing so far had been announced.

Jews Threatened

Reichsfuehrer Hitler's newspaper, Voelkischer Beobachter, said that fortunately no one was hurt, but that no doubt the bullets were fired with murderous intent and that "the fact they were fired from ambush shows only too clearly that Jews are at the bottom of the affair."

"Shots fired at German diplomatic representatives are directed against the whole German people which is desirous of living in peace and

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Loyalist Spain Ready to Pay U. S. for Arms

De los Rios Denies Lifting of Embargo Would Embroil Nation

If the embargo against republican Spain is lifted by the United States, the loyalists are "fully prepared" to pay cash for all purchases of arms and ammunition, said Ambassador Fernando de los Rios yesterday during a press conference at the Spanish Embassy.

He saw "absolutely no chance" of America becoming involved in hostilities in Spain by abolition of the embargo, but rather its withdrawal would serve to bring both military and political benefits to the Spanish government.

"It is ridiculous to think of such a thing" he said. "There is not the slightest danger of this country becoming entangled in our problem by removal of the embargo. We would not need to ask for credit—we are fully prepared to pay cash for all purchases."

"That's Our Problem"

To the question of how arms and ammunition could be safely transported to the loyalist forces without intervention, Dr. De los Rios responded with a smile:

"That is our problem."

He stressed the fact that Spain's paramount need is military material with which to continue its defense against Franco's forces.

"We don't need to import man power or heroism," said Dr. de los Rios. "We are sufficiently provided with both. Our crying need, as the world knows, is to equip our forces for continuation of the battle."

Catholic Charges Denied

Recent charges that the loyalist government is persecuting the Catholic Church in Spain were described by the Ambassador as efforts to "divert the real issue."

"This is not the problem," he said, "but a gross attempt to cloud the real problem.

Hitler at Work on Sequel To Nazi Textbook, Mein Kampf

By Ralph W. Barnes

Special Cable to The Post.

Berlin, Jan. 11.—Reichsfuehrer Hitler is working hard in his limited leisure from the affairs of state on a sequel to his famous book, "Mein Kampf." The new work may be ready for publication before the close of the year.

Der Fuehrer, it was disclosed, has no intention of making alterations in the German original of "Mein Kampf" itself, despite reports that he might delete certain paragraphs highly inimical to France, as a result of the signing on December 6 of the declaration under which France and Germany supposedly "buried the hatchet."

Incidentally, the news that Hitler has no intention of "expurgating" the original of "Mein Kampf" is of especial interest in view of the plans of two publishing houses in the United States to take the risk of bringing out unabridged editions of the work in English. Through the provisions of international copyright, Hitler, to date, has succeeded in preventing unabridged translations in cases where he has decided to do so.

Hitler will treat the altered international situation in detail in the sequel.

Among other points, he intends to say that not he but France has changed since the epoch in which he wrote his first book—in other words, that his attitude toward France had altered only because the policy of France toward Germany and the rest of the continent had altered.

Hitler will attribute the change in France in part to the fact that the generation of men which fought in the trenches during the World War now was in control of French affairs.

Gayda Declares Fascists Seek No Lands; Il Duce Pleads for Peace

Foreign Affairs

SPANISH INSURGENTS swept to within 18 miles of Tarragona, Catalan seaport, in their northern offensive, as loyalist artillery in southwest Spain menaced a key railroad.—Page 7.

CHINA was revealed to have contracted to purchase 200 bombing planes in the United States, for delivery in March.—Page 7.

Softer Answer

Special Cable to The Post.

Rome, Jan. 11.—Indications that Italy might be preparing to relax recent pressure for territorial concessions from France appeared here tonight a few hours after the arrival of British Prime Minister Chamberlain for a series of "appeasement" conversations with Premier Mussolini.

Prominent Fascists, including Virginio Gayda, editor of the authoritative Giornale d'Italia, declared Italy's "aspirations" in their final form contain no menace to any European or African territory, and foreign diplomats read into a somewhat conciliatory article by Gayda the beginning of a cautious retreat from repeated "unofficial" demands for Tunisia, Corsica, Nice and Djibouti.

Interests Don't Conflict

A further sign of potential progress for Chamberlain's long and often discouraging campaign for European appeasement appeared in his announcement, at a banquet given in his honor tonight by Mussolini, that Italy and Great Britain had begun the exchange of military information under a hitherto undisclosed clause of their "Easter accord," which went into effect last November.

He added that the Mediterranean interests of the two countries "while of vital importance to us both, need in no way conflict," a statement that political circles interpreted as indicating his desire for an agreement on the Spanish question

Fascist sources said the civil war there, in which Italians are helping the insurgents, was solving its own problem through insurgent victory.

But British quarters declared the prime minister desired more concrete assurances from Italy in view of Italy's participation in the present insurgent offensive.

No Spanish Problem

Chamberlain has been represented as fearful of increased Italian influence in the Mediterranean, should insurgents win.

Gayda, however, went out of his way to throw cold water on the idea that Spain could be a subject of much interest to the conferees, although he also said that no agenda had been arranged.

He pointed out that there were no outstanding problems at issue be-

See ITALIAN, Page 7, Column 2.

Woman Indicted On Pacific Coast As Russian Spy

Los Angeles, Jan. 11 (AP).—Mrs. Natasha Gorin was indicted by a Federal grand jury today in connection with a purported plot to steal confidential records of the United States naval intelligence.

Her husband, Mikhail Gorin, and Hafis Salich, former employe at the San Pedro naval intelligence office, were indicted several weeks ago on espionage charges, based upon allegations that Salich stole data relating to Japanese naval secrets and turned the information over to Gorin.

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Over the Coffee

By Harlan Miller

CAPITAL CAVIAR: The Cabinet's champion Bible reader is the new Attorney General, Frank Murphy; even pious Henry Wallace yields to him. Mr. Murphy's favorite old Bible has seen such hard usage that he wraps it in a towel to prevent it from falling apart, and keeps it at his bedside for a chapter or so each night.

Reed and Barton . . . in 1959

He could get the good book rebound for $2, incidentally.

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Murphy looks so much like Senator Smathers, of New Jersey, that Smathers is still receiving congratulations on being appointed Attorney General from strange people who meet him in the corridors . . .

In face, Murphy, Smathers and Bruce Barton all three look enough alike to be brothers.

And Senator Reed, of Kansas, looks like Barton will in 1939.

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They've hung a huge, coffin-like box from the glass ceiling of the House as part of the amplifying system. To the galleries it doesn't amplify so well. When the President spoke last week his voice sounded more subdued than a year ago; but those who heard him on the air say it had the old lilt.

—Mrs. Roosevelt was camera-shy"

Incidentally, the House was acrawl with cameramen, movie men and microphones during the first few sessions of the new Congress. For the first time, photographers were hanging out perilously over the gallery rails, and during the President's speech you could hear the buzzing hum of movie cameras, and flashlight bulbs kept flaring. Senators and their small daughters were broadcasting from anterooms to the waiting distances. Never before has there been such a wholesale invasion of microphones and cameras. The Hill is overcoming its shyness.

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When Mrs. Roosevelt appeared in a front-row seat with Diana Hopkins, small daughter of the Secretary of Commerce, in her lap, and her mother-in-law beside her, an intrepid photographer was after her like a hawk. To get in front of her for a shot he had to climb outside the rail, hanging dangerously above the heads of the statesmen below.

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I was tempted to take hold of his belt, but he was out of reach . . . The First Lady didn't seem enthusiastic about his enterprise, and kept her eyes downcast. Her mother-in-law looked straight ahead like a Spartan.

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Few who saw it will forget the spectacle of Herr Hans Thomson, the German Charge d'Affaires, with a pink rose in his lapel, twisting his neck inside his stiff collar as he listened to the President lambast the dictators.

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Behind Hans sat the ambassador from loyalist Spain, whose cities are being bombed by German planes, and alongside de los Rios sat Count de St. Quentin, the usually impassive French Ambassador, who could not quite conceal his glee. In fact, at one point he laughed aloud, and I'm chalking one small demerit on his diplomatic record.

"—a historic moment"

All eyes were upon Thomsen. They wondered whether he would stage a walkout, as Germans have on several occasions recently in the face of painful candor. But he stuck it out. As he looked down he could see Ickes, Senator Pittman and Sumner Welles, who have recently tossed cabbages at Berlin. But it was a cutaway occasion; no one pulled a knife.

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Memorable political phrases, like advertising slogans, occasionally get confused in people's minds . . . For example, seven people out of ten whom I asked thought when the President said "a plague on both your houses" he meant A. F. of L. and C. I. O. They were mistaken; he referred to the cohorts of Tom Girdler and John L. Lewis in the Republic Steel strike.

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POTOMAC PIFFLE: The President's steel-gray cutaway reminds me of the Confederate uniform . . . John O'Connor, once boss of the House Rules Committee, now a purge victim, is on the auction block as a potential Washington columnist . . . Susceptible Senators keep looking up at the family gallery and asking each other who's the pretty charmer in the blue wimple. Senator Vandenberg's questions to Harry Hopkins yesterday really had a sting in them.

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"Over the Coffee"
BY HARLAN MILLER
Now also appears In The Sunday Post
This feature now appears in The Post on Sundays as well as on week-days (except Saturdays).

Democrats Seek Record Vote on Relief

New Dealers Change Tactics to Prevent Fund Reduction

By the Associated Press.

The United States Conference of Mayors estimated, in a statement yesterday, that 1,151,300 WPA workers would lose their jobs by June 30 if Congress should slash the emergency relief appropriation from $875,000,000 to $725,000,000.

The reduced figure was approved by a House appropriations subcommittee after President Roosevelt had recommended the larger amount to carry WPA to the end of the fiscal year.

Other estimates of the number of workers who would be dropped ranged from 500,000, a semiofficial prediction by persons connected with WPA, to between 600,000 and 1,200,000 forecast by the Workers Alliance.

Democrats Change Tactics

Meanwhile, Democrats handling the big work relief bill in the House changed their tactics in an apparent effort to make Republicans share responsibility for any reduction finally voted.

The Democratic-controlled subcommittee stood pat on its recommendation of a $150,000,000 slash, but some members were reported apprehensive that if the House considered only the smaller sum Republicans would not be on record on the two amounts and thus would be able to tell constituents that the Democratic majority was responsible for curtailed WPA spending.

Apparently in response to this view, Chairman Taylor (Democrat), of Colorado, of the Appropriations Committee, substituted an $875,000,000 appropriation bill for the $725,000,000 measure which he introduced yesterday.

If the full appropriations committee agrees, when it considers the matter tomorrow morning, the substitute bill will be accompanied by a committee amendment which would reduce it to $725,000,000. The vote on this amendment would place the House membership on record definitely regarding the proposed cut.

Representative Woodrum (Democat), of Virginia, who will be in charge of the bill in the House, predicted the full committee would approve the reduction.

Displeased by the Democratic maneuver, Republican leaders and appropriations committee members met and agreed upon strategy of their own.

Taber Outlines New Law

Representative Taber, of New York, predicted afterward that most republicans would try to limit the appropriation to $310,000,000, which would operate the WPA only until April 7, while Congress was working out a relief system.

By April 7, Taber said, Congress could work out a new relief law which would:

1. "Get rid of the political setup of WPA.
2. "Prohibit other abuses such as are involved in the writers' projects and theater projects and such as resulted in indictments in Buffalo, New York and New Mexico.
3. "Forbid abuses referred to in the Senate committee report concerning the primaries and elections in Georgia, Kentucky, Pennsylvania and many other States."

Administration Leaders Silent

Administration leaders gave no indication publicly as to whether they would make an active fight on the floor for the full amount asked by the President. Some New Deal supporters expressed the opinion, however, that chances of putting through the full fund were improved by the fact that members would have to vote directly on the reduction.

In any event, the vote will show for the first time how House sentiment toward continued large-scale relief spending has been affected by last year's elections, in which Republicans made substantial gains.

IN CONGRESS

By the United Press.

TODAY

Senate

Meets at noon.

Committee meetings: Commerce considers Hopkins nomination; Special Unemployment and Relief; Judiciary sub-committee considers Frankfurter nomination.

House

Debates relief bill.

Committees: Appropriations meets on relief bill.

YESTERDAY

Senate

In recess.

House

Heard Hoffman and Hook attack and defend Attorney General Murphy's record.

Voted to give relief bill right of way today, ending debate at 2 p. m. Friday.

Heard Burdick defend Administration and urge liberal Republican program.

Received Dirksen bill to repeal silver purchase act.

Frankfurter to Appear Today In Person at Senate Hearing

Associated Press WIREPHOTOS.

MRS. ELIZABETH DILLING — JOHN B. SNOW

Mrs. Dilling, self-styled author of anti-communistic books, offered to prove for the Senate Committee considering the appointment of Felix Frankfurter to the Supreme Court, that President and Mrs. Roosevelt were "dangerous radicals." Snow, of New York, who said he was a director of the League for Constitutional Government, is shown giving objections to Frankfurter's nomination

Supreme Court Nominee Accedes to Neely's Request After Witnesses Assail Him; Borah Protests Racial Objections

Prof. Felix Frankfurter, President Roosevelt's nominee to the Supreme Court, will appear at 10:30 today before a Senate Judiciary sub-committee which yesterday heard charges that he has Communist views and is a "menace to the Nation."

The Harvard Law School professor last Saturday declined an invitation to appear in person before the Senate group, stating that he preferred to be represented by counsel.

Asked to Appear

Chairman Neely, of West Virginia, Democratic chairman of the subcommittee, announced last night:

"The sub-committee communicated to Dr. Frankfurter its desire for him to appear before it, and he has kindly agreed to appear tomorrow and will be heard by the sub-committee at 10:30." The hearing will be in the Senate Office Building.

Meanwhile another Presidential appointment was given indorsement of the Senate Agricultur. Committee, when James P. Pope, former Senator from Idaho, was approved as a member of the TVA board of directors. Confirmation by the Senate today was blocked, however, when Senator Bridges (Republican), of New Hampshire, refused unanimous consent for consideration of the nomination. Bridges insists there is no TVA vacancy, since he questions the President's authority for removal of Dr. A. E. Morgan last year.

Neely observed last night that his committee has not yet examined some letters and telegrams that arrived yesterday, including a mysterious wire from New York, that included a reference to "decoding" and stated "the documents are on the way."

A vast expanse of subjects from the plight of the American Indian to provision for chaplains in the United States Army was discussed yesterday by a long procession of witnesses, who opposed confirmation of Dr. Frankfurter.

Several heated exchanges occurred, especially between Senators Borah (Republican) and Norris (Independent), on the one hand, and witnesses Allen Zoll, of the American Federation Against Communism, and Mrs. Elizabeth Dilling, author of "The Red Network," on the other.

Indian Woman Objects

And the session was not without its moving drama, when, late in the afternoon, a Seneca Indian woman who said she represented the president of the American Indian Federation, told the committee between stifled sobs that she bitterly opposed Frankfurter's appointment because he was on the national committee of an association that, she claimed, was "communizing the Indians."

Tall and slender, dressed in simple black, she held the committee room in dead silence as she cried, "I represent the native-born Americans, the only ones there are." The woman, Mrs. Alice Lee Jemison, said she blamed the American Civil Liberties Union, of which Frankfurter is allegedly a "national committee" member, for obtaining enactment of a legislative program that is "communistic," "anti-Christian" and is permitting the Indians to "starve."

Pounding the table in front of her, Mrs. Jemison sobbed: "We don't want this program and we don't want it for the rest of the United States. It's time the American public knew these facts and knew what the American Civil Liberties Union stands for today."

Opposition to Frankfurter seemed to be based chiefly on three charges: That he is on the "national committee" of the American Civil Liberties Union, that he is not native born and that he is a Jew.

It was the Semitic question that drew forth the most acrimonious discussion of the day.

Zoll, who said he was an American Army officer in the war, and subsequently a sales consultant, started off his testimony with the flat declaration that he was opposed to Frankfurter's confirmation because of his record and because he is a Jew.

The witness, who claimed he was not anti-Semitic but objected to the appointment for the good of the Jews themselves, had hardly entered into his explanation when Senator Borah broke in.

Borah stormed: "So far as I am concerned, I don't propose to listen to arguments against a man because of his race. You're raising the same question that's drenching Europe in blood."

Visably angry, Borah added: "Our Government makes no distinction as to race. I don't want to hear the race question debated."

King Supports Borah

The witness, a broad-shouldered, 6-foot Kansasn, insisted he was not anti-Semitic, and that Frankfurter's appointment would fan the flames of anti-Semitism in the United States.

"That's what they say everywhere, snapped Borah. Senator King, agreeing with Borah that it would be "outrageous" to deprive Frankfurter of his position because he is a Jew, declared that he thought the witness should be permitted to proceed. King added that he had received letters from Jews advising against the appointment.

After further discussion between Borah and the witness, the committee voted to permit Zoll to continue his testimony, Borah alone objecting.

U. S. Must Return $7,732 Security Tax To Aircraft Firm

Baltimore, Jan. 11 (AP).—The Fourth United States Circuit Court of Appeals has ruled that the Glenn L. Martin Co. of Baltimore is entitled to recover $7,732 from the Government for social security taxes paid in performance of a Government contract.

The ruling, believed to have established a legal precedent, was based on a suit involving a contract for building of military aircraft, signed in June, 1934. A clause in the contract provided that taxes imposed by Congress, subsequent to the signing of the contract and increasing the cost of performance should be collectible from the Government.

Murphy 'Betrayed' Michigan Critic of Appointment Says

By the Associated Press.

Appointment of former Gov. Murphy of Michigan to be Attorney General underwent its first attack in the House yesterday.

Representative Hoffman (Republican), of Michigan, submitted a 58-page arraignment of Murphy's political and labor record which drew cheers from the minority and roused Democratic leaders to the Cabinet appointee's defense.

Waving hand-made blud ons he said were taken from men in struck plants, Hoffman asked Majority Leader Rayburn (Democrat), of Texas:

"Was Murphy enforcing the law when the strikers had these?"

Rayburn demanded Hoffman submit evidence that Murphy had violated the law in favor of the strikers.

Hoffman charged Murphy with responsibility for failure to evict sit-downers from Flint, (Mich.) plants under a court order. He accused the former Governor of "betraying" the people of the State. In answer to an assertion by Rayburn that the automobile strikes had been settled "without bloodshed," he listed 11 policemen and 13 strikers injured at Flint.

Representative Daly (Democrat), of Pennsylvania, charged Hoffman with subterfuge, and said his remarks were directed at the President.

Representative Hook (Democrat), of Michigan, described Hoffman's onslaught as "scurrilous and uncalled for."

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Roosevelt's Arms Message Uncompleted

May Go to Congress Today; War Materials Storage Advocated

Uncertainty still existed last night whether President Roosevelt's special message on national defense could be sent to Congress today, as first was expected. The President devoted some time Tuesday evening and more yesterday to writing the message, but it was said last night it was not yet ready for transmision.

Meanwhile, there were other developments pertaining to defense matters.

Chairman Ebert D. Thomas of the Senate Military Affairs Committee which last year studied a proposal to create an emergency reservoir in the United States of strategic metails and war materials, said he again will present the plan to the Senate today.

Storageof 100,000,000 tons of coal in swamps along the Atlantic Coast as an emergency supply in event of war, was suggested as a part of the defense program by Representative Edmiston (Democrat), of West Virginia.

Cites Expert Views

"There seems to be agreement among Government experts tthat certain products should be conserved or developed so that America will not be caught short with respect to national defense in the event of an emergency," Thomas said.

The Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy would be directed to determine the country's deficiencies in defense needs and collect raw materials, concentrates and alloys in huge storage depots strategically placed throughout the country.

The stores would be held in reserve for use only by order of the President in time of war or when "a national emergency is stated to exist."

Calls for 4-Year Program

The bill makes provision for a $100,000,000 four-year program, with an additional $2,000,000 for the Bureau of Mines and the Geological Survey to make scientific, technologic and economic investigations.

Under Edmiston's proposal, slack coal—the small type used in industrial furnaces—would be stored beneath water to prevent deterioration caused by exposure to air.

Edmiston said storage would forestall transportation difficulties in getting fuel to munitions and other plants if needed in great quantities at short notice. During the World War, he said, railroads were unable to supply cars to meet the haulage demands. The stored reserves, he added, would be close enough to the large industries for delivery by truck.

Land Is Available

Coal experts said 16 square miles of land would be required to store 100,000,000 tons. Sufficient land, Edmiston said, would be available in New Jersey, in Chesapeake Bay and off shore in northern and eastern New England. He added that similar storage areas could be found near Chicago, Detroit and Cleveland.

Representative Hamilton Fish (Republican), of New York, introduced a Constitutional amendment which would provide for a national referendum before citizens could be drafted for military service abroad. Fish said the amendment would not affect national defense since it specifically excludes the entire Western Hemisphere and United States territorial possessions.

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On Capitol Hill

Congress Asked to Permit Rowan to Receive Cuban Honor

By the Associated Press.

Representative Havenner (Democrat), California, asked Congress yesterday to permit Maj. Andrew S. Rowan, U. S. A., retired, the man who "carried the message to Garcia," to accept the Order of Carlos Manuel de Cespedes from the Republic of Cuba.

MAJ. ROWAN

Rowan, now in Letterman General Hospital, San Francisco, cannot accept the honor without Congressional permission.

Representative Coffee (Democrat) Washington, proposed repeal of the so-called Connolly "hot-oil" law, contending it had "served only the monopolistic oil interests."

Coffee said the act had placed an "unbearable burden" on independent producers, refiners and marketers of oil.

The law, which forbids interstate shipment of oil in excess of State allowables, expires June 30.

Representative Snyder (Democrat), Pennsylvania, has renewed his campaign for Congressional authorization of an $8,000,000,000 system of superhighways crisscrossing the continent.

He has reintroduced with minor changes his bill to provide "a more justifiable avenue for caring for our unemployment situation, and to economize in the building of national highways and provide modern adequate national-defense equipment."

His bill provided for three transcontinental and six North-South highways, 100 feet wide, with airsports at the intersections.

Representative Jessie Sumner (Republican), Illinois, says she would work for a qualified woman running for President.

"But I don't know any woman who would like to take on 15 years in four," she offered.

Cleveland, Jan. 11 (AP).—President A. F. Whitney said today the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen "is unalterably opposed to granting of additional money to the disreputable Dies committee."

Writing Chairman Sabath of the House Rules Committee, Whitney said "that committee should be discharged at once and the task of investigating un-American activity be delegated to Congressmen and Senators of the caliber of the members of the Senate Civil Liberties Committee."

Associate of Senator McKellar (Democrat), Tennessee, were advised Senator-elect A. Tom Stewart, of Tennessee would arrive Tuesday to take his oath of office. Stewart said he would leave Nashville for Washington immediately after the inauguration of his political ally, Prentice Cooper, as Governor.

Representative Jerry Voorhis (Democrat) of California, introduces a measure to establish a division of public works in the Department of Interior with a regular director to receive $10,000 annually.

Representative Ralph O. Brewster (Republican) of Maine, introduced a resolution for a House Ways and Means Committee investigation of State Department negotiations with Cuba for a reciprocal trade agreement. Secretary of State Cordell Hull already has announced that he will appear before the Senate Finance Committee to explain them.

National U. Women Ask 2 of Own Sex In Law School

More than 100 women at National University School of Law yesterday petitioned the trustees for appointment of a dean of women and a woman member of the faculty.

The petition pointed out that, although women constitute 10 per cent of the law school's student body, its faculty is 100 per cent male.

The Cy Pres Club, only women's organization on the campus, of which Ruth Marvick is president, sponsored the resolution. It was drawn up by a committee headed by Birginia M. Wallgren.

Judge to Address Jews

Judge Elihu D. Stone, of Boston, as guest speaker tomorrow at 8:30 p. m. services of the B'nai Israel Synagogue, will discuss "What American Jews Can Do For Palestine."

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Coster's Log Of Long Fraud Argosy Found

U. S. Uncovers Tell-Tale Ledgers in Old Shed; Complete Story Told

By the Associated Press.

New York, Jan. 11.—Possibility of new and even more shocking revelations in the McKesson & Robbins case was held out tonight as Government officials examined the secret correspondence of the late F. Donald Coster-Musica and the personal ledgers he kept through the years of his $11,000,000 defalcations.

The papers and books, containing numerous entries in Coster-Musica's handwriting, and the names of persons not yet mentioned in the investigation of his colossal fraud, were found hidden in an old shed outside the McKesson & Robbins plant in Fairfield, Conn.

Postal inspectors, on the job since Coster-Musica's suicide following his exposure as a former convict once involved in a $1,000,000 swindle, turned up the documents. There were two bales, wrapped in brown paper, and an attempt evidently had been made to destroy them, Assistant United States Attorney Gregory F. Noonan said.

Picture of Coster Activities

They give a fairly accurate picture of Coster-Musica's activities, Noonan said, from the time he vanished in 1920 from New York, where he was under indictment for subornation of perjury, to a month ago, when his financial trickery came to light.

In that period he had changed his name from Philip Musica to F. Donald Coster, given himself two Heidelberg degrees and American nativity—actually he was a native of Italy—and had become president of the great drug corporation, milking it of $11,000,000 and leaving fictitious assets of $20,613,000 on its books.

While Assistant State Attorney General Ambrose V. McCall announced his hearings into the corporation's affairs were virtually completed, Federal officials said blackmail phases, reports of wholesale bootlegging, reports of gunrunning and other angles still are being scrutinized.

Brothers Rearrested

Meanwhile, two of Coster-Musica's three brothers, seized on a charge of violating the securities act of 1934 in connection with the filing of false financial statements with the New York Stock Exchange and the Securities and Exchange Commission, were released in bail from Federal custody but arrested on State indictments charging grand larceny and fraud.

The brothers were George E. Dietrich-Musica, assistant treasurer and an assistant vice president, and Robert Dietrich-Musica, head of the shipping department at Bridgeport.

Gen. Parsons to Review Fort Myer Units

Fort Myer Cavalry and Artillery units will hold the first of a series of exhibition drills at 2:45 p. m. tomorrow in the Riding Hall, Fort Myer, Va.

Maj. Gen. James K. Parsons, commanding the Third Corps Area, at Baltimore, will be guest of honor at the show.

Mrs. Lane Is Given Shoppers' League Post

The League of Women Shoppers has elected Mrs. Chester T. Lane, of Fairfax County, Va., vice president. Mrs. Lane is the wife of the chief counsel for the Securities and Exchange Commission.

The group elected Cornelia Bruere Rose, jr., of Arlington, Va., member-at-large.

Blonde Ione Robinson Here With 'True' Paintings of Spain

Post Staff Photo.

IONE ROBINSON

Artist Wrought Up Over Suffering of Women and Children Behind Loyalist Lines; Was in First Bombing of Barcelona

Blonde, lovely Mrs. Ione Robinson was in Washington yesterday, tremendously worked up over the plight of women and children in the shattered cities of loyalist Spain.

At the Willard Hotel she said she had an invitation from the Mexican government to exhibit her paintings of hugary and homeless loyalist women and children. Many, she said, were made in Barcelona immediately after its first aerial bombardment, others were made in the trenches on the Ebro front, where she was the only woman permitted to visit.

Mrs. Robinson, who has a small daughter in New York, said she was in Berlin recently and spoke bitterly of indignities inflicted on Jews. She went to Spain, she said, to "give a true picture to the world" of suffering behind the Spanish government lines.

"The suffering of the Spanish women and children has been terrible," she said, "but their courage has not melted. It is greater than hunger, or death from bombs."

Returns from any paintings she sells, Mrs. Robinson said, will be used to build Loyalist food depots. Any residue, she added, will be used to assist veterans of the disbanded Abraham Lincoln brigade.

Mrs. Robinson is a native of Oregon and began painting, she said, in Mexico in 1928.

Local Charges Union Dictatorship

Dictatorship in the International Brotherhood of Boiler Makers, Iron Ship Builders and Helpers was charged yesterday in a complaint filed in District court by the Washington local, Harmony Lodge 450, and its officers.

Leslie E. Johnson, of Shadyside, Md., president, and other officers said in their complaint that the action was to protect $300,000 worth of insurance the members carried.

Among the defendants were named the International; its president, J. A. Franklin, of Kansas City; a vice president, William A. Colvin, of 901 Massachusetts avenue northwest, and an international representative, N. M. Jones, of Washington.

The International is affiliated with the American Federation of Labor.

2 Held in Aid To Killer Here

Charged with harboring a fugitive, a young married couple yesterday was ordered held for grand jury action by Police Court Judge Hobart Newman.

John Clyde Baber, 29, and Anna Mary Baber, 26, pleaded not guilty to allowing Cecil E. Fowler, escaped murderer from a Spartanburg, S. C., chain gang, to reside at their home in the 700 block H street northwest.

A. G. Christie to Be Guest At Engineers' Dinner

Prof. A. G. Christie, president of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, will be guest of honor Saturday at a luncheon meeting of th local section in the Lafayette Hotel.

Wallace Scraps 2-Price Plans For Subsidies

Condemns Republicans For Failure to Advance Own Farm Program

An intensive drive to increase consumption of farm products "by subsidy if necessary"—but not on a two-price basis—will be tackled by the Department of Agriculture immediately, Secretary Wallace declared yesterday as he condemned Republicans for failure to accept his challenge of last week to "put their farm program down in black and white."

Cotton will be the first big surplus attacked, Secretary Wallace said, announcing that members of a cotton industry committee named to investigate possibilities of utilizing some of the 14,000,000 bales held by the Government will meet here Friday.

"The two-price phrase has gone. I but used it in a cynical mood in reply to Senator Vandenberg's suggestion that a two-price system be applied to exports," he said. "If we need it anywhere, it's at home."

Cites Grapefruit Marketing

In many instances, the Secretary asserted, consumption increase can be brought about without a subsidy. He used the marketing of the present grapefruit crop as an illustration. The Federal Surplus Commodity Corporation bought large quantities of the fruit for distribution to relief clients and the "grapefruit industry got busy on marketing the rest."

Wallace termed Senator Arthur Capper (Republican), of Kansas, and Senator Charles L. McNary (Republican), of Oregon, "Democrats at heart and Republicans by accident," in praising both for their farm work. He declared, however, he must still insist that if they "are going to call themselves Republicans" they should have a plan. "That's what a two-party system of government is supposed to be," he declared.

Second Man Dies After Ship's Crash Into Canal Span

Wilmington, Del., Jan. 11 (AP).—A second bridge employe died today of injuries received when the 6,000-ton freighter Waukegan smashed a $500,000 Government bridge over the Chesapeake & Delaware Canal, tying up ship traffic and disrupting travel on the Du Pont Highway.

The employe was William F. Oakes, a bridge electrician. Robert Quinn, 44, the bridge tender in a superstructure cabin, was killed when the ocean-going vessel rammed the 450-foot steel span yesterday, dropping it into the canal.

Meanwhile, Capt. John R. L. Reynolds, master of the freighter; Quartermaster William Igram, of Norfolk, Va., and the pilot, D. Leroy Taylor were free in $5,000 bail each on charges of manslaughter and assault and battery.

Capt. Reynolds denied reports that the vessel's stearing mechanism apparently had fouled and that the ship was out of control. He blamed the crash on swift currents in the canal.

Youth Forum to Open

A series of forums on youth will be opened tomorrow at 6:30 p. m. at a dinner in the Y. M. C. A.

Canine Playmate Slain by Sniper

Post Staff Photo.

Earl "Sonny" Reichenbach (left), 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reichenbach, of 1300 block Valley place southeast, shows some pictures of his dog Fritz (inset) to Frances Flaherty, 4. Fritz was shot and killed by an unknown sniper yesterday while children were playing with the dog

Homeless Sharecroppers Face Disease in Roadside Camps

By the Associated Press.

New Madrid, Mo., Jan. 11.—Huddled tonight around roadside campfires, hundreds of southeast Missouri sharecropper families—demonstrating against a low economic status—determinedly faced probable rain or snow, shrinking food supplies and the danger of disease.

Many of the ragged army of more than 1,000 men, women and children, most of them colored, had only tents and improvised shelters of bed clothing as protection from the chill wind that ushered in their second night in the open air.

The march to the highways was called as a protest against the growing movement in the cotton country to abandon sharecropping in favor of the employment of day laborers. Leaders of the demonstration contended some landowners had evicted their renters to avoid sharing crop benefit payments with them.

In Washington, the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, which sent an investigator to study the situation, said Government payments might be withheld from landlords changing the status of their sharecroppers to that of day workers.

Various landowners in the "boot-heel" area blamed the situation on Missouri's tremendous gain in farm population in recent years, restricted cotton acreage, the shift from manual labor and mule power to modern motorized farming, and losses suffered by some operators under the sharecropper system.

Will Travers, leader of one group, said all of his followers had been day laborers on farms in Pemiscot County, "but we can't live on 75 cents a day."

Sewing machines, dressers, tables and beds were stacked along the roads in disarray. Groups took turns sleeping in dilapidated automobiles. Others slept on cornshuck mattresses or blankets.

A few had oil-barrel stoves and the familiar rural pot-bellied iron stoves to provide warmth and heat for preparing meals.

Seeks WPA Aid

New York, Jan. 11 (AP).—H. L. Mitchell, secretary of the Southern Tenant Farmers Union (C. I. O.), today pointed to the "eviction" of 500 sharecroppers from their Missouri homes as a "forcible argument" for increasing emergency WPA appropriations. He planned to leave for Washington tonight to confer with Government officials.

Colored Girl Held In Father's Death

Elizabeth Onley, colored, 19, will appear before a coroner's jury this week in connection with the murder of her foster father, Mauray Onley, colored, 47, of 4520 Georgia avenue northwest.

Mauray fatally wounded December 22 during an argument which involved his wife, Marie and Elizabeth, died yesterday at Garfield Hospital.

Elizabeth told detectives her father kicked her mother and she shot at him.

Truck Drivers Strike Ended By Saltonstall

Boston, Jan. 11 (AP).—Heavily laden trucks hummed along New England highways again tonight as 5,000 truck drivers and helpers, heeding a plea of Gov. Saltonstall, accepted a compromise wage-hour proposal and ended a week-long strike.

The Governor was cheered as he helped talk more than a thousand truck drivers into acceptance.

The compromise agreement gave drivers $39 for a 48-hour week with overtime allowances.

4 Youths Captured 12 Hours After Escape

Huntingdon, Pa., Jan. 11 (AP).—Cold and hungry, four youths were captured today less than 12 hours after escaping from the Pennsylvania Industrial Home for Boys by sawing the bars of a cell window.

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Ruling Delayed On Fidelity Receivership

Judge May Decide Monday; Court Costs Also at Issue

By the Associated Press.

Wheeling, W. Va., Jan. 11.—Federal Judge William E. Baker, refusing to grant or dismiss a receivership petition, deferred today until Monday a ruling on a proposal for the appointment of a special master for the Fidelity Investment Association.

Counsel for a group of the association's contract holders who sught the receivership urged a trial of the issues, but the judge said he was "inclined to agree" with a defense suggestion for the appointment of a master.

He granted a recess until Monday to permit preparation of arguments on payment of costs of the proceedings, saying he would "endeavor" to give his decision then.

"We cannot ask them (Fidelity) to wait until the conclusion of the litigation and then take the chance that some party, held ultimately liable for costs, can or will be able to make payment."

Appointment of a special master to audit accounts and investigate the association's operations was first requested by a Toledo, Ohio, intervenor in the case. Fidelity Counsel Austin V. Wood again proposed it after Judge Baker had ruled on the receivership petition and asked for suggestions for settling the proceedings.

Seymour M. Heilbron, counsel for the receivership petitioners, took exceptions to the judge's ruling, declaring his motion had not proposed the appointment of a receiver "until after trial has been had upon the issues of fact." He declared the judge's ruling should have been limited to the defense motion for dismissal of the petition.

Tax Advisers Indorse District Sales Levy

Taxes

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the committee to 25 cents.

No changes were proposed, however, in the recommendation that all foods and medicines be exempted.

After some further discussion the committee also indorsed the proposed new public utility tax of 4 per cent on the gross receipts of all utilities, except the Capital Transit Co. The tax on the latter is 3 per cent of gross receipts, the lower levy being allowed because of the smaller earnings of the company.

Under the present law the Capital Transit Co. pays 4 per cent on gross receipts, while the Washington Gas Light Co. pays 5 per cent on gross earnings and the Potomac Electric Power Co. 4 per cent on gross earnings.

Members of the Senate and House District Committee who attended the conference indicated approval of the tax program.

The report, after being filed in both the Senate and the House by the Joint Committee on Internal Revenue Taxation, will be turned over to the House District Committee for legislative drafting.

Representative Nichols (Democrat), of Oklahoma, who piloted last year's District revenue bill through the House, is expected to head the sub-committee which will hold hearings and write the new bill.

Opposes Sales Tax

Rumblings of opposition to the sales tax feature of the program, however, already have come from Representative Dirksen (Republican), of Illinois, who will again head the minority on the sub-committee.

Proponents of the new tax plan hope to win income tax advocates, though, through the income levy feature, which applies to all unearned income in excess of $500 and all salaries above $15,000 on a graduated scale ranging from 2 to 7 per cent.

Other provisions of the tax program are a flat 5 per cent corporation tax, repeal of the intangible personal property tax, and discontinuance of the business privilege levy.

Missionary to Speak

Dr. Dorena Taylor, missionary from Bogphur, India, will address a public meeting tonight at 8 p. m. at River Road United Presbyterian Church, River road and Fessenden streets northwest. She will describe her visits to Afghanistan, Persia, Turkey, Russia, Germany and other countries. The Rev. Virgil M. Cosby will preside.

G-Men Hunt Missing Girl

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

WINSTED ARNETT, member of a socially prominent Macon, Ga., family, who disappeared mysteriously a week ago. She wore jewelry valued at $1,000 when she vanished. FBI agents have joined the Nation-wide search for her

Lewis Denies Asking Welfare Board for Job

Welfare

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he make application for the position of head of the reorganized setup, he declared.

This he never did, he said, although he added that there might have been something about his heading the new organization in the communication submitting his views.

"I am a little hazy about the details, except that I am certain I never applied for the position," Lewis asserted.

Board of Public Welfare officials insisted, however, that their records would bear them out.

Lewis, meanwhile, in another installment of his report, recommended extensive reorganization of the District's child welfare program, including the creation of an enlarged Child Welfare Division as part of his proposed new Department of Employment and Social Security to co-ordinate all relief and welfare activities.

Units of the Board of Public Welfare handling aid to dependent children and home care, the present Division of Child Welfare, the Industrial Home School for Colored Boys, the Industrial School for White Children, the National Training School for Girls, the Receiving Home, the Training Center for Young Boys and the medical program would be placed under the new division.

Lewis criticized the "evident" lack of co-operation between public and private agencies, the juvenile court an dthe existing child welfare division. He also said a lack of understanding existed between various divisions of the Board of Public Welfare and institutions under its control.

Local child welfare laws should be changed, he said, to permit the child welfare division to accept children as dependents without cour tappearance. The division, he declared, should have the right to investigate referred cases and to supervise children in their own homes without commitment to the division.

The full Lewis report, it was learned, will consist of about 1,000 pages, and will include detailed statements concerning 327 specific Public Assistance Division cases investigated by Lewis' staff. Many of these cases, it is said, will show "chiseling" and fraud.

'Mystery' Solved; Car Owner Riddled It, Showing Rifle

The "mystery" surrounding a bullet-riddled car found by Police in Takoma Park, Md., last night evapodated last night when officers learned the bullet holes had been put there by th eowner in a rifle demonstration for a friend.

The owner, Ned Rogers, 21, of Brentwood, Md., told officers he bought the car after the car after the body had been damaged in an accident.

While waiting for a new body to arrive, Rogers recently used the car as a target to show the power of an automatic 22 rifle he owns.

The only "mystery," he said, was why he ever took the car out on the street where it could cause a police investigation.

Hopkins Admits 'Mistakes;' Denies Playing Politics

Hopkins

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to bulwark needed purchasing power.

Denied "spend, tax, elect" statements attributed to him.

Said the Sheppard committee report was a "vindication" rather than an indictment of his record in administering relief.

On President's "Team"

There was quaver in his voice when he spoke of his fealty to the President, and served notice on the committee he will continue that loyalty.

"I work for him," he said, simply. "I am a member of his team."

Closely questioned by Chairman Bailey on his radio speech for the President's defeated court plan, he said he made it as a member of the "team."

"And when that team starts to move, it moves," he fairly shouted.

"It didn't move very far in that particular case," commented Senator Clark (Democrat), of Missouri.

The hearings closed for the day with another witness on the stand—W. Averell Harriman, chairman of the board of Union Pacific Railroad and chairman of the Business Advisory Council of Commerce Department. Warmly indorsing Hopkins for his new post, Harriman declared "he will fill this position with competence and honor." Harriman said he believes Hopkins will move "in directions that are sound."

Highlights of the afternoon session came in testimony by newspaper columnists on a statement they attributed to Hopkins but vigorously denied by him—"We are going to spend, spend, spend, tax, tax, tax, elect, elect, elect."

Frank Kent, first to print the quotation, did not appear in person but sent the committee a notarized letter that it was repeated to him by an unnamed New Yorker, a mutual friend of himself and Hopkins, and a "man of reputation and standing."

Arthur Krock, head of the New York Times Washington bureau, said on later investigation he established to his satisfaction that the quotation was substantially correct and printed it as "a concentrated gem of Mr. Hopkins' political philosophy."

Joseph Alsop, coauthor of a syndicated column, said he first used it as an "apocryphal" possibly made in jest by Hopkins, but later received "assurances" the quotation was accurate and published it again in more serious vein.

Hopkins Denies in Toto

"I deny the whole works, and the whole implications of it," Hopkins told the committee. "Just because a news columnist says I said it, doesn't make it so."

Three members of the committee urged that the unnamed "friend" of Hopkins be produced, and a third, Senator Pepper (Democrat), of Florida, called the evidence "flimsy" and "hearsay" and asked: "Is that the price people have to pay for freedom of the press."

Senator Clark said he thought "the balance of credibility should be in favor of a responsible public official, against a clandestine, mysterious anonymous witness who hasn't the manhood to come forth."

Johnson Would Expunge

"Let's either have the man who made that statement come down here, or not go into this sort of thing any farther," interjected Senator Johnson (Republican), of California. Johnson said the evidence shoud be "dropped" from the record unless a witness is produced."

Chairman Bailey replied that he respected the right of newspapermen "not to divulge a confidence" and would sponsor no committee move to force appearance of the witness.

Questioned earlier by Senator Vandenberg (Republican), of Michigan, Hopkins said he had been told half a dozen people in New York attributed the remark to him, but that every New Yorker who might have done so denied knowledge of it.

Such a statement had never been made by him even "in a moment of relaxation, or over a dinner table," Hopkins said, nor did he "believe any such thing" as the quotation implied.

Refering to a charge by former Representative Samuel Pettengill (Democrat), of Indiana, Vandenberg asked Hopkins if he was ever a registered Socialist.

"To the best of my knowledge, I never was," Hopkins replied. "I have nothing in my memory about it."

As Vandenberg pressed him, Hopkins said he did not wish to deny that he might have registered "Socialist" as a means of expressing his youthful idealism in one New York gubernatorial contest.

"If that took place," he said, "it was not because of my belief in Socialism, but because of my desire to keep out of war and my desire for decent Government in New York."

Father a "Bryan Democrat"

The new Commerce Secretary said he followed in the footsteps of his father, who was a Bryan Democrat; that Al Smith once was a "political idol of mine;" that he supported Wilson, Cox and Franklin D. Roosevelt for President, but "couldn't take John W. Davis in 1924." He said he voted for the La Follette-Wheeler ticket in that year.

Most persistent of committee questioners was Chairman Bailey, who examined Hopkins on a long series of speeches and statements made prior to the 1936 and 1938 elections and particularly on his activities in the recent primary "purge."

Questioned on "Purge"

Pointing out Hopkins' former power as head of WPA to allocate funds to States and supervise activities on 76,000 projects, Bailey said:

"That's a tremendous political institution, if anyone cared to use it politically."

"I don't agree with you," said Hopkins.

"You once said, didn't you, that 90 per cent of WPA workers would vote Democratic in the last election?" asked Bailey.

"Poor people generally vote Democratic," replied Hopkins.

"Didn't you make the political declaration during the Iowa primaries that if you were a citizen of Iowa you would vote for Mr. Wearin?"

"Right," said Hopkins.

"You went off to California, and made a speech for election of Mr. Donwney and Mr. Olson?"

"Right," said the witness.

Bailey Cites Speeches

Bailey charged Hopkins made about 100 political speeches, including one in the midst of the "purge" calling for defeat of "tory" candidates, and "at a time when you were distributing billions of dollars in Government funds."

Hopkins replied he could only remember making four or five speeches that could be called "political."

"If I had the road to go over again," he said, "I wouldn't have made political speeches of any kind. But I don't withdraw one word of what I have said."

When Bailey questioned the propriety of the WPA administrator making political statements, which he said set an example for lesser WPA officials, Hopkins said he didn't think it was "an open and shut case."

"You've got to look out for the civil libertis of these people on relief," said the witness. "When you get to th epoint of telling anyone what they should do after they go home from work, it gets down into a close-knit argument and a real question as to the civil liberties of those people."

Baily said civil service laws forbid workers under the merit system from making political speeches, and Hopkins replied he did not "like the idea of any legislation prohibiting a man from saying what he pleases."

Then Bailey quoted from Hopkins' speech for the court reorganization bill in which Hopkins said two or three judges "can block the efforts of a popularly elected President and a popularly elected Congress" and accused the court of "killing" AAA and other social reforms.

"I see nothing wrong with it," said Hopkins. "I would do it again."

"You would attack the Supreme Court again?"

"Don't put words in my mouth, Senator," replied Hopkins.

He said he made the speech out of loyalty to the President and "differentiated between that type of speech and a political speech."

Hopkins declined under questioning to say what he will do as Secretary of Commerce, pending conferences with businessmen "who know more about it than I do," but indorsed the new spending program.

If Treasury outlays were checked overnight, he said it would be "bad for recovery" and declared the goal should continue to be "to put a minimum purchasing power in the hands of all the people, as a good thing for business as well as the people.

He denied he "is a member of the school of thought that believes you can always live on borrowed money," asserting that in time the Government must spend less than the revenue it takes in.

He said he thought it possible unemployment might be reduced to 3,000,000 if the National income once reaches the President's goal of $80,000,000,000, but expressed doubt "that the problem of unemployment is ever going to be cured."

"Do you expect to be just as dilligent in the interest of commerce as you were for the unemployed?" Bailey asked at one point.

"You can count on that 100 per cent," Hopkins replied.

"Maybe business needs a little WPA relief," Bailey commented.

The Senator asked Hopkins' attitude toward sit-down strikes, and the witness said they were "bad business, and not to be encouraged."

"I don't believe in sit-downs," he said. "I make no reservations. I believe in unions."

Another Scarlett O'Hara

Wide World Photo.

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Skipper Tells Jury Of 'Mutiny' on Adventure Cruise

Los Angeles, Jan. 11 (AP).—A story of strife on the adventure schooner Metha Nelson was told today to the Federal grand jury by Capt. Robert Hoffman, skipper on a Central American cruise.

Hoffman testified in an inquiry into mutiny charges against Charles Segal, Hollywood sportsman, and Abraham Kapellner, a steward, who charged him with anti-Jewish acts of persecution.

The skipper was said to have accused Segal and Kapellner of mutinous activities.

The jury subpenaed the organizer of the cruise, Marino Bello, stepfather of the late Jean Harlow; Countess Dorothy di Frazzo, a member of the party, and Matt Thornton, the mate.

Two crew members, Ralph Baarman and Marion A. Bonilli, charged they were chained to a stanchion by the captain.

Upton Close Weds, Tells Audience

Clarksburg, W. Va., Jan. 11 (AP).—Upton Close, 44-year-old writer, whose real name is Josef Washington Hall, told an audience here last night of his marriage to Bernice Meek, manager of the Booking Club of New York.

Mrs. Hall was graduated from West Virginia Wesleyan College. She is his third wife.

Hebrew Home Directors Elect Officers Sunday

Directors of the Hebrew Home for the Aged, 1125 Spring road northwest, will elect new officers at a meeting Sunday at 1 p. m. Charles A. Goldsmith is expected to be elected president for the eleventh consecutive year.

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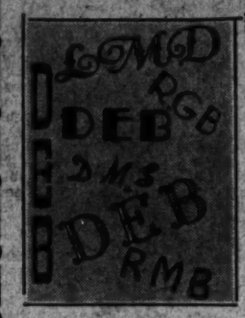

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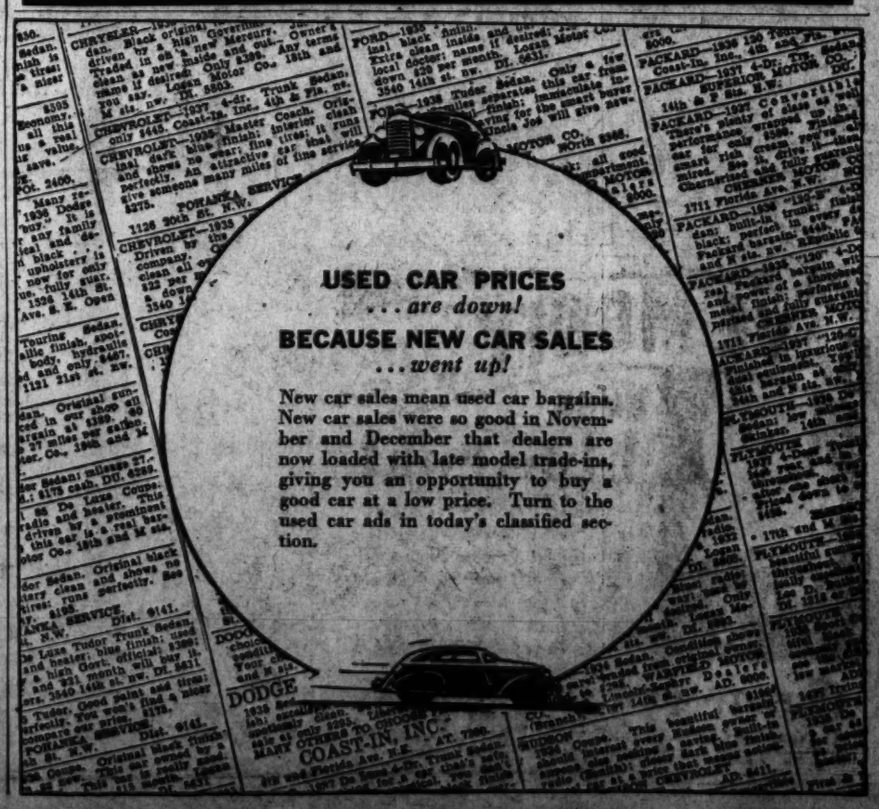
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60-Hour Week Again Asked For Firemen

House Measure Would Increase Force 218; Bill Killed Last Year

A five-day 60-hour week for District firemen was proposed yesterday in a bill introduced in the House by Chairman Ramspeck, of the Civil Service Committee, by request.

Two consecutive days off each week, in addition to sick and annual leave, would be granted the firemen by the measure. The day force would work a 50-hour week and the night force 70 hours.

Only in emergencies could the firemen be required to be on duty in excess of the maximum hours specified and they would be entitled to compensatory time off at some subsequent time.

Fire Chief Charles E. Schrom said that about 218 additional firemen would be required to put the 60-hour week into operation. The initial cost to the District taxpayers would be $430,000 and this would increase gradually to $500,000 as automatic pay raises became effective.

Last year a similar bill was passed by the House but died in the Senate with adjournment of Congress.

U. S. Goes After Policy Racket 'Master Minds'

Gamble

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the Washington gamblers who moved in. They ordered the police to close them up and the new State's attorney, H. Winship Wheatley, jr., announced he would prosecute all places against which police gathered the proper evidence. William A. Carson, chairman of the commission, said the police were directed to give special attention to the numbers racket.

Arthur W. Hepburn, superintendent of the county police, last night hailed the F. B. I. reinforcements.

"I will give the Federal men all the co-operation I can," he said. "I am glad there is going to be a Federal investigation."

Hazen's plan, he believed, would end complaints of local police that they were unable to pursue number racketeers over the State line. This particular point will be the major point of discussion at the conference, Hazen said.

Reciprocal Agreement Planned

He said he planned to reach an agreement among the police heads which would permit deputization of local officers and enable them to pursue law violators across State lines.

It is now estimated that 75 per cent of the millions collected annually here from numbers bettors is handled by men who maintain their headquarters over the Maryland line.

"Gambling is a breeder of crime and if we can rot out this evil we will go a long way in cutting down the amount of crime," Hazen declared.

Another matter which will be discussed is the plan for reciprocity in inter-jurisdictional traffic cases, Hazen said. The plan suggested several months ago by Robert Ennis, a justice of the peace in Capitol Heights, would prevent jailing of traffic violators arrested out-of-town and not having the amount of collateral.

Ennis suggested the traffic violator place his driving permit in forfeit and have issued to him a temporary card pending his return to pay the collateral. The proposal was indorsed at the time by Traffic Director William A. Van Duzer, Walter R. Rudy, Maryland motor vehicles commissioner, and M. S. Battle, Virginia motor vehicles commissioner.

Md. Court to Hear Appeal Today on Group Buying Case

Baltimore, Jan. 11 (AP).—An attack on the constitutionality of the Robinson-Patman act, affecting directly more than 2,300 grocery and hardware companies and indirectly many more engaged in group buying, will be heard by the Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals here tomorrow.

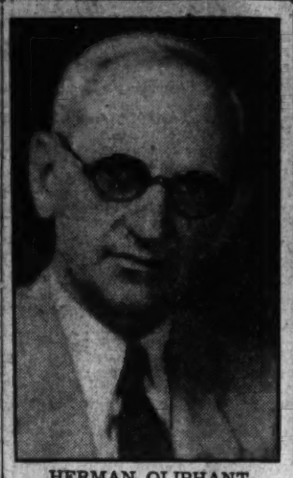
Oliver Brothers, Inc., New York hardware-buying organization for 300 merchants, appealed from a New York circuit court 2-1 decision upholding a Federal Trade Commission complaint against the Biddle Purchasing Co., agent for some 2,000 groceries.

The commission alleged violation of the Robinson-Patman act brokerage fee clause, which forbids acceptance of a fee or commission "for services rendered in connection with the sale of goods . . . where such intermediary is acting in behalf" of the buyer.

Oliver attorneys contended the brokerage fee section of the act, if read separately, is unconstitutional

Herman Oliphant Dies; Treasury Counsel And New Dealers' Expert on Tax Legislation

Noted Educator Was Close Friend Of Morgenthau



HERMAN OLIPHANT

Herman Oliphant, general counsel of the Treasury Department and one of the professors called into service by the New Deal in 1933, died yesterday in Naval Hospital. He was 54. He suffered a heart attack on December 22, and was taken to the hospital then.

Government Leaders Laud Him

High Government officials and leaders in both houses of Congress expressed grief at Mr. Oliphant's death, and praised his career in public service. Among them were:

Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau: "I am inexpressibly shocked and grieved by the death of Herman Oliphant. My profound sympathy goes to his family. He was a great idealist, a great public servant and a deeply loyal friend. Both to his Government and to me personally his death comes as a bitter loss."

Senator Robert Wagner, chairman of the Senate Committee on Banking and Currency: "I have just learned with profound sorrow of the death of Herman Oliphant whom I have known for a number of years. The Government has lost one of its ablest, most conscientious and patriotic officials."

Helped Establish FCA

Gov. R. F. F. Hill, of the Farm Credit Administration: "I am deeply distressed to learn of the death of Herman Oliphant, whose spendid work and advice as the first general counsel of the Farm Credit Administration played such an important part in its early history."

Acting Secretary of the Treasury John W. Hanes: "The country has lost an able, efficient and highly honorable public servant in the death of Herman Oliphant. He was untiring and faithful in every trust, and I, together with the entire personnel of the United States Treasury, feel not only a public but a real personal loss in his untimely passing."

Marriner S. Eccles, chairman of the Federal Reserve Board: "Mr. Oliphant was a devoted and faithful public servant of the most admirable character. The passing of men of this type is a great loss to good government."

Representative Edward T. Stokes, of the House Appropriations Committee: "The country has sustained a serious loss in the death of Mr. Oliphant, who was an able and efficient public servant."

Mr. Oliphant was credited with a major role in preparing some of the most noteworthy financial and economic measures of the current Administration. Although he disclaimed authorship of the undistributed profits tax, tracing its roots as far back as the Civil War, he was one of its most devoted exponents. He also had much influence in shaping the Treasury's gold and silver fiscal policy.

Until coming to Washington as general counsel of the Farm Credit Administration, in 1933, Mr. Oliphant was known chiefly as a professor of law, whose integration of economics and sociology with the study of law at Columbia and Johns Hopkins was adopted later by Harvard and Yale.

During the World War, Mr. Oliphant was assistant director of War Trade Intelligence, and assistant director of the industrial division Emergency Fleet Corporation.

Was Professor of Law At Columbia University And Johns Hopkins

He moved from the Farm Credit Administration to the Treasury when his friend, Henry Morgenthau, jr., was appointed Secretary. On May 25, 1934, he was made general counsel. His most recent appointment was as Treasury Department representative on the Temporary National Economics Committee.

Born August 31, 1884, at Forest, Ind., Mr. Oliphant was educated at Marion College. He taught there, and also at Indiana University before going to Columbia and Johns Hopkins. He is author of several legal volumes.

Mr. Oliphant's home was at Bay Ridge, Annapolis. Mrs. Oliphant, the former Julia Simms, of Forest, Ind., who he married in 1905, survives, as do three children, Thalia Levon, Sharles Albert, and Malcolm William.

Funeral services and burial will be at Frankfort, Ind., at 3 p. m. Saturday. No services are planned in Washington.

Md. Democrats Ask Job on NLRB For Rep. Lewis

Appointment of former Representative David J. Lewis to the National Labor Relations Board was osked last night by the Patuxent Democratic Club at a meeting in the fire house at Berwyn Heights, Md.

The club adopted a motion of John Roggles, of Eeabrook, Md., to address a letter to the President indorsing Lewis for the labor board job.

Cornelius Ryan, of Mount Rainier, announced his withdrawal from the race for the Democratic nomination for Congressman from the Fifth Maryland district to succeed the late Representative Stephen W. Gambrill. He had been indorsed by the club.

Club officials announced a conference with M. Hampton Magruder, of Upper Marlboro, Md., collector of internal revenue, would be held Janary 17 on efforts to have Maryland residents appointed supervisors on Federal construction projects in the State.

Engineers Meet Here Today in Annual Parley

War Dept. Ordnance Officer to Speak on National Defense

More than 1,000 engineers from throughout the Nation will gather at the Mayflower today for the nineteenth annual assembly of the American Engineering Council, which closes Saturday. The ninth conference of Engineering Society Secretaries will be held at the same time.

William H. Sanford, of Philadelphia, as chairman, will call the assembly to order today at 9 a. m. Brig. Gen. Earl McFarland, assistant chief of ordnance, War Department, will speak on national defense at a luncheon at 1 p. m.

There also will be discussion of the engineer's relation to national defense, national planning, engineering aspects of Government reorganization, and trends toward socialization of the profession.

An "All Engineers' Dinner" at which Dr. Vannevar Bush, president of Carnegie Institution of Washington, will be guest of honor will be held tomorrow night. Dr. William McClellan, president of the council, and president of the Potomac Electric Power Co. here, will preside.

How to Obtain 1939 Tags Outlined by Traffic Department

Deluged by District motorists' inquiries about obtaining 1939 auto license plates, the Department of Vehicles and Traffic yesterday issued this list of "dos" and "don'ts:"

1938 tags will be good until midnight February 28.

If you have received an application for registration for a car you have sold, please mark the application "car sold" and return it to the Department of Vehicles and Traffic so this record may be canceled.

If you do not receive your application by January 18, you may have a warrant outstanding against you or your address may be incorrect. In this event you should apply in person, second floor, Ford building, 451 Pennsylvania avenue northwest. Do not telephone.

No inspection will be required until after you obtain your tags for 1939-40. You will receive a postcard notice when to present your motor vehicle at the official test station for inspection. These inspections will take place on and after April 1, 1939.

Applications for registration do not have to be signed. If you desire your tags delivered to you include a 10-cent delivery fee and mail the application to the Department of Vehicles and Traffic in the yellow envelope included for that purpose.

Tags will be on sale to the public at the Department of Vehicles and Traffic on and after January 23.

Hasley to Direct Halloween Fete

John J. Hasley, general manager of Palais Royal, Inc., has been named chairman of the Washington 1939 Halloween celebration, Edgar Morris, chairman of the executive committee, and Lawrence E. Williams, chairman of the promotion committee of the Greater National Capital Committee, it was announced yesterday.

Hasley said work on organization of his force would be started "very soon," in order to "have a more successful observance than we have had in the past." He was vice chairman of the 1938 general Halloween committee.

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Nine Refugees Find All Ports Closed to Them

Austrian Exiles, Barred By Santo Domingo, Get Temporary U. S. Shelter

New York, Jan. 11 (AP).—Nine Jewish refugees sat in a disconsolate huddle today in a little mid-town hotel where they have found temporary sanctuary and drearily picked at the strangest immigration puzzle that has arisen here since the great exodus from Nazi Austria began.

From their dilemma there seemed no exit. They had left Austria with tickets all in order to go to Santo Domingo, but at sea they got word that Santo Domingo had made a regulation requiring such immigrants to pay a $500 entrance fee.

They had no $500, they explained through an interpreter, no friends or relatives in America who might raise that amount, no means of going to Santo Domingo, no desire or permission to return home, and no legal right to stay here.

One Held at Ellis Island

They arrived with passports which merely permitted them to land here for transshipping to the West Indies—and the tenth of their number, Dr. Alfred Wilder, wasn't able to enter the country at all because of an unsatisfactory visa. He is on Ellis Island, creating a problem all his own.

Whatever they may have whispered in their hoarse German among themselves, as they sat in a stolid semicircle in the hotel lounge, they were careful in their mass interview to say nothing derogatory to Germany, Austria, Santo Domingo, the United States or the regulations which enmeshed them.

Heinrich Bank, a short, square-shouldered little dentist who had brought his wife, Pauline, and his 15-year-old daughter, Helga, with him, explained with a wave of his arm and a half-melancholy series of monosyllables that they are still wanted to go to Santo Domingo—impossible or not—and were being careful not to prejudice matters.

How would they go? He lifted his shoulders and slowly crossed his arms.

"We Must Go."

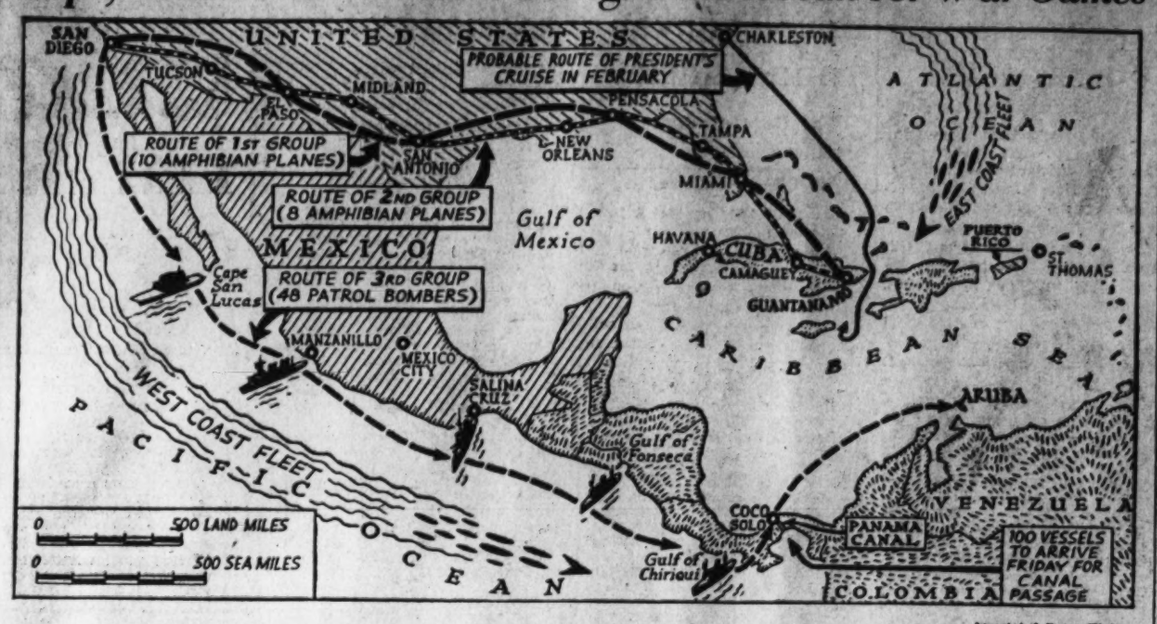
"It looks," he said gloomily through the interpreter, "that we cannot go. But anyhow we must go. There is nothing else we can do." His brother Carl nodded in approval and a second brother, Robert, frowned and said "Ja."

They looked a reasonably substantial lot, all nine of them, but as Heinrich explained they were allowed to take only pocket money out of Austria and their relatives there would not be permitted to send money out to them.

Their bills at present are being paid by a refugee committee, which has asked the Government to allow them to stay here for three months. But that extension, even if granted, would only postpone the hour of decision, said Heinrich Bank.

"And then . . .?" he muttered, and sighed.

Ships, Planes and President Going to Caribbean for War Games



Associated Press Photo.

While the Atlantic and Pacific fleets and planes headed toward the Caribbean Sea yesterday for war games, it was reported the President would cruise to the "war" zone, probably sailing from Charleston in February. The map shows various routes being taken

37 German Refugees Forbidden to Land Anywhere, Leave Baltimore for New York; Ask Shelter at Ellis Island

Ship

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that Trinidad Tuesday issued an edict, effective January 15, barring all German refugees except those who had proper papers and were then in transit.

Informed of this action in Trinidad, Miss Razovsky requested Ellis Island officials not to accept the 37 refugees unless another country which would let down its immigration bars to them could be found overnight.

If none was found, she said, the refugees would be forced to continue to their original destination, Peru, where officials have been advised by the Peruvian consul in Antwerp not to permit them to land. The 37 are among 84 of the passengers whose destination is Peru.

"The refugees themselves are not certain just what their 'improper papers' mean," Miss Razovsky said. "We know that Peruvian government officials have been instructed not to allow them to land at Callao and that the Imperial will sail from New York to the port of Mollendo." Meanwhile, her organization is querying Trinidad in efforts to arrange papers which would permit the 37 to land there.

To Dock at New York Today

The Imperial is scheduled to dock in New York harbor early today, Miss Razovsky said.

Houghteling told Byron Uhl, district director of immigration and naturalization at Ellis Island, that "if we hold those people at Ellis Island, we are only postponing the evil." Uhl called Houghteling last night and informed him that tentative plans were to send the group on to Peru.

Reports have reached immigration and State Department officials here, it was understood, foreign "racketeers" posing as representatives of various consulates extort high sums from persons seeking to get out of Central Europe. Houghteling said numerous arrests and prosecutions have been made of persons posing as representatives of this Government abroad.

The Imperial docked in Baltimore late Monday. Some of the refugees, part of them bound for Bolivia, Colombia and Chile, were permitted to go ashore there.

Escape Deportation By Paying 'Lip Service'

Numerous organizations believed by United States immigration officials to be "at heart hostile to American democracy" are escaping deportation because of their skill in "paying lip service" to the fundamental principals of our Government," James L. Houghteling, comcissioner of immigration and naturalization, chargede yesterday

Enforcement of the law directing immigration officials to deport "any alien advocating violent overthrow of our Government," is the most difficult problem facing his staff, Houghteling said. He was guest speaker at the Rotary Club luncheon-meeting in the Willard.

"We have in the last 5 years deported over 100 alien communists he said.

Calling attention to Central Europe, Houghteling said a tremendous increase in immigration quotas from Germany, Austria, Czecho-Slovakia and other nations has resulted from racial pogroms.

Quota Not Half Filled

Predicting imigants coming to America will total about 80,000 in 1939, he solemnly raised the question as to the ability of the United States to absorb such a large number and left his question unanswered.

Houghteling ridiculed "imagination that work overtime" in usually well-infromed people, who picture vast hordes of undesirable aliens pouring into New York harbor.

The immigration quota of 150,000 in past years has not been more than half filled, he said.

"I recently had a careful check made of the number of visitors now in the country from Germany and Austria and found the entire number does not greatly exceed 6,500," he said.

The majority of aliens allowed to enter the United States have been persons with American relatives willing to give them a start, Houghteling said. He also praised the "quality" of immigrants in recent years and attributed this to "good work" by consulate officials abroad.

Hungarians Report Czechs Raid Towns

Budapest, Jan. 11 (AP).—A series of reported attacks on Hungarian border villages by Czecho-Slovaks kept southeast Europe on edge today.

One newspaper, Az Est, said several Czecho-Slovaks were wounded when regular troops attacked at Barkaszo on the border of Carpatho-Ukraine, eastern province of Czecho-Slovakia.

Others reported six attempts by Czecho-Slovak machinegun units to cross into Hungary near Ungvar.

The reports followed a warning from Hungary that new violations of the frontier would bring a Hungarian invasion.

(Czecho-Slovaks in Prague said 60 to 80 "Hungarian terrorists" attacked, in a three-hour battel, at Bervinkos and two Czechs were wounded.)

Fine Arts Department Proposed in House Bill

Creation of a division of fine arts in the Office of Education, Interior Department, was proposed yesterday in a bill introduced in the House by Representative McGranery (Democrat), of Pennsylvania. An authorization of $100,000 a year is recommended.

48 Navy Planes Fly 3,000 Miles, Land at Canal

45 of Bombers, Bound for War Games Travel Non-Stop

By the Associated Press.

Cristobal, Canal Zone, Jan. 11 (AP).—A United States Navy fleet of 48 patrol bombers completed a 3,000-mile flight from San Diego, Calif., today.

The last of the planes, which left San Diego at 2:12 p. m. (Eastern standard time), yesterday, landed at the Coco Solo Military Airfield here at 4:10 p. m., (Eastern standard time).

All except three flew non-stop. These three, of Squadron 7, landed en route beside the U. S. aircraft tender Wright in the Gulf of Fonseca, off the coast of Honduras.

The silver-colored bombers of Patrol Wing 1, with Capt. Marc A. Mitscher in comand, have Arubs, West Indies, as their ultimate destination. On the last leg they will be joined by 50 planes of Patrol Wing 3.

During the U. S. Fleet's war games in the Caribbean-Atlantic waters next month, the patrol bombers will play a scouting role.

Midland, Tex., Jan. 11 (AP).—A rain-sodden field today prevented the take-off of eight Gruman planes bound from San Diego to war maneuvers in the Caribbean Sea. The planes arrived yesterday.

The Grumans were part of an 18-plane flight. Nine Sikorsky amphibian Navy transports stopped overnight at Abilene and were still there this afternoon. Another plane stopped at El Paso for motor repairs.

Dance Chairman Named

Hagerstown, Jan. 11.—Calvert K. Hartle, Hagerstown attorney, has been notified of his appointment as general chairman of the President's birthday ball, which will be held here January 30. Receipts from last year's ball were used to send four crippled children to the Catoctin Recreational Camp.

Committee Backs 3 New Envoys

The Senate Foreign Relations Committee yesterday approved the nominations of Spruille Braden to be Ambassador to Colombia, Frank P. Corrigan, now Minister to Panama, to be Ambassador to Venezuela, and John C. Wiley to be Minister to Latvia and Estonia.

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Franco Takes Montblanch in Furious Fight

Loyalist Push in South Brings Seville Railway Under Fire

By the Associated Press.

Hendaye, France (At the Spanish Frontier), Jan. 11.—Insurgent dispatches tonight said the entire government position north of Tarragona has been turned by the capture of Montblanch and an after-dark advance to within 15 miles of Tarragona.

Fighting through a soupy fog, Navarrese virtually surrounded Montblanch, then by a terrific assault drove out the defenders.

Montblanch is the heart of a network of roads for southern Catalonia and about 18 miles northwest of Tarragona, principal seaport of southern Catalonia.

Advance on Falset

Tarragona itself is about 50 miles southwest of Barcelona, government capital.

At the same time the position of Tarragona was menaced by insurgents advancing from the southwest, near Falset. Gen. Franco's men were reported by their commanders to be within 4 miles of Falset and about 26 miles from Tarragona.

The twin drive threatened to cut off all lower Catalonia and isolate government militia guarding the lower Ebro River line around Tortosa.

Railway Line Shelled

On the southwestern front, government forces reported they had brought the direct rail line connecting Seville, southern headquarters of the insurgents, with Burgos, their northern capital, under the fire of heavy government artillery.

Government dispatches said the offensive in southwestern Spain to offset Gen. Franco's drive in the northeast had been carried to within eight miles of Llerena, one of the main stations on the railway.

The city lay withing range of the government's heavy artillery, these advices said. Llerena is about 50 miles east of the Portuguese border.

(Along the Estremadura front the government air force was extremely active in trying to hinder arrival of insurgent reinforcements, it was reported from Madrid.)

Cutting of the Burgos-Seville rail connection would not destroy all rail communications through the 50-mile corridor held by insurgents along the Portuguese border. There is a second line about 25 miles west of Llerena.

The insurgents were reported preparing to shift their heavy traffic to the second line which adds nearly 100 miles to the route.

Anglo-French Fears Rise

By the Associated Press.

London, Jan. 11.—The reported opinion of United States Ambassadors Kennedy and Bullitt that European developments threaten a second world war this spring has increased British and French fears that Italy and Germany are out to dominate the western Mediterranean.

French sources said flatly they thought the Ambassadors' pessimism was justified. They indicated any Italian attempt to force France to give up any possessions certainly would precipitate war.

In Paris, London and Berlin it was not overlooked that the pessimism of Kennedy and Bullitt might also have the domestic function of influencing Congress to support President Roosevelt's rearmament program.

Germany's principal reaction was that the Kennedy-Bullitt opinion was—as the Berlin Lokalanzeiger put it—aimed at "making Congress pliant to the wishes of Roosevelt."

Official Italian circles said war could be averted by settling Italy's demands on France. One highly-placed Italian estimated the chances at "about four to one against war in the spring."

Moscow commentators sharply discounted any predictions of imminent war insofar as any German threat to the Soviet Ukraine is concerned—on the opinion that Germany is still far from prepared.

Spanish Rift Foreseen

Berlin, Jan. 11 (AP).—A source close to the German government said today failure of Prime Minister Chamberlain and Premier Mussolini to see eye to eye on a swift conclusion of the Spanish war might lead to withdrawal of Germany and Italy from the Spanish nonintervention committee.

German government quarters stressed the "unanimity" of the Italian-German conception of the Spanish problem.

Broadcasts Balked

New York, Jan. 11 (AP).—Two American radio chains reported tonight that Rome authorities had made impossible scheduled short-wave broadcasts on the Mussolini-Chamberlain talks. Correspondents were to have broadcast at 6:30 p. m. (E. S. T.). They said British Broadcasting Co. talks were allowed.

20 Known Dead as Brush Fires Rage in Australia

Melbourne, Australia, Jan. 11 (AP).—Brush fires which have caused 20 known deaths in the last three days continued to rage over wide areas in southern Australia today, leaving the fate of scores in doubt. Property damage during the three days was estimated at $1,500,000.

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Duce Greets Prime Minister Chamberlain at Rome

Associated Press RADIOPHOTO.

This is the scene as Mussolini welcomed Prime Minister Chamberlain to Rome yesterday. From left are Count Galeazzo Ciano, Chamberlain, Mussolini and Count Dino Grandi. (This picture was radiophoted from London to New York and wirephotoed to Washington)

Chamberlain's Talk With Duce Moderates Italy's Demand for Concessions From France

Italian

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tween Britain and Italy, as all these were fixed up by the Easter agreement.

"There is not even a Spanish problem; Italy has loyally indicated her position there and history, now rapidly in the making, is writing the fatal and just epilogue"

Mussolini, in a brief speech preceding Chamberlain's, commended the "tenacity with which you have pursued your program of reconciliation and peace.

"The Italo-British accord," Mussolini continued, "has placed the relations between Great Britain and Italy on a solid basis, and not only has reconstituted upon a new basis of understanding and in a new Mediterranean and African reality the friendship between the two countries, but also has opened a way to collaboration, which, being a necessary element for the peace of Europe, we hope will be both lasting and fruitful."

Mussolini and Chamberlain assured each other of their desire for peace—but where Mussolini invoked "peace with justice," Chamberlain spoke for peace "by the method of negotiation."

"I have come here in pursuit of the policy for which I stand—a policy of friendship with all and enmity with none—and that policy is directed to a just and peaceful solution of international difficulties by the method of negotiation," Chamberlain said.

During the banquet Chamberlain placed a final seal upon the reconciliation of Britain nad Italy and British recognition of Il Duce's Ethiopian conquest by raising a glass of wine in a toast to King Victor Emmanuel as "Emperor of Ethiopia."

To Meet Again Today

Previously the Prime Minister had paid tribute in his speech to "the powerful and progressive n Italy" risen under Mussolini.

Within an hour and a half after his arrival in Rome, Chamberlain was closeted with Il Duce in the enormous Venice Palace room which serves as Mussolini's office. With them were their foreign ministers, Lord Halifax and Count Ciano.

It was believed that Mussolini outlined his claims against France—and perhaps how far he is ready to go in attaining them—in the initial talk.

Italians said neither Chamberlain nor Mussolini had fixed political programs for the discussions, but would go over the whole range of European problems, particularly Italy's, but including Reichsfuehrer Hitler's unsatisfied aspirations.

Chamberlain's spokesman said the first conversation was devoted to a general survey of the European situation. He added that a "tour of the horizon was made and the conversations were very cordial."

One well-informed British source said after the banquet that Chamberlain had found Mussolini's attitude "encouraging" and that the outlook was less pessimistic than others believed.

Chamberlain Cheered

The conference ended at 7:40 p. m. when Chamberlain and Lord Halifax hurried to the Sixteenth Century Villa Madama, on Rome's outskirts, to dress for the dinner in their honor.

As he drove to and from Venice Palace the British statesmen heard loud "Viva's" from Italians who remembered that in 1935 he described as "madness" Britain's decision to join in sanctions against Italy because of Mussolini's Ethiopian conquest.

Dense crowds gave him an impressive welcome at the railway station when the Britons arrived at 4:17 p. m. (10:17 a. m. E. S. T.).

Flags, flowers and floodlights made a brilliant scene within the station, filled with Fascists in gray-green uniforms, the British Embassy staff in formal attire, officers adorned with gold braid and Rome's British colony.

Acknowledges Cheers

The prime minister waved his silk hat to the crowd to acknowledge the cheers as he drove to Mussolini's office in an automobile with Ciano. Previously Chamberlain and Halifax called at the Royal Palace to signs the register as official guests of the Italian government.

As Chamberlain and Mussolini, accompanied by their foreign ministers, sat down to discuss the menaces to peace Germany announced her formal indorsement of Italy's Mediterranean demands.

The announcement, although not involving a Nazi pledge of military support of Fascism's ambitions, made it clear that Great Britain and other powers must deal with Italy and Germany together in working out a solution of world troubles.

Diplomats believed Mussolini, faced with France's stubborn refusal to discuss territorial concessions and Chamberlain's reported refusal to mediate in the Italo-French tension, apparently was pursuing a careful course.

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Does Public Want Dies Committee Continued?

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Nazi Reprisals Hinted in Shots At Consulates

Berlin

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amity with Holland," Hitler's chief organ added.

The Boersen Zeitung spoke of a "systematic conspiracy being secretly conducted to "poison the international atmosphere."

The newspaper imperiously called on The Netherlands to put a stop to all Jewish agitation, adding, "if not, it will bear the sole responsibility for anything that may happen afterwards."

The Lokal Anzeiger said menacingly, "at the time of the Vom Rath murder Germany left no doubt as to what its answer would be if another attempt were made on a German's life."

In this connection it was recalled that Das Schwarze Korps, organ of the black-uniformed elite guard, threatened November 30 that in such case "there will be no more Jews left in Germany."

Vom Rath's death resulted in a wave of anti-Jewish window smashings and synagogue burnings November 10, and finally a collective fine of $400,000,000 against Germany's Jews.

Study Refugee Problem

Berlin, Jan. 11 (AP).—George Rublee and Robert T. Pell, American officials of the Intergovernmental Refugee Committee, obtained Reichsbank President Dr. Hjalmar Schacht's promise today he would consult "other members of the government" about the committee members' arguments for an agreement to resettle German Jews abroad.

Rublee appeared confident they would hear shortly, perhaps tomorrow, from Germany's key financier on the negotiations, which were understood to involve the removal of 400,000 to 500,000 of Germany's nearly 700,000 Jews over a period of several years.

Dr. Schacht was reported to feel the Jewish issue was one demanding quick and energetic treatment so that the German economic structure might return to normal as soon as possible.

A meeting tomorrow between Rublee and Schacht, which might, in turn, lead to a subsequent conference with Field Marshal Goering, director of the four-year self-sufficiency plan, was deemed possible.

Neither Place Occupied

Amsterdam, Jan. 11 (U.P.).—Dutch police today strengthened guards around the German Legation at the Hague and consulate in Amsterdam after shots were fired through windows of both places.

Authorities, inclined to regard the shootings as minor incidents, said the shots were not aimed at any German diplomats because neither place was occupied by anyone at the times of the attacks.

The shot fired through the window of The Hague Legation apparently came from an air-gun. At Amsterdam, a small hole was discovered in the window of the private house occupied by the German consulate.

Chinese Order 200 Bombers Of U. S. Firm

Bellanca Planes for Chiang Kai-shek to Cost $8,500,000

The Chinese national government has entered into a tentative contract with the Bellanca Aircraft Corporation for delivery by next March of 200 bombing planes, each mounting five guns and carrying seven bombs, ranging from 300 to 102 pounds it was learned yesterday.

The order, one of the largest placed by the Chinese government, is estimated to cost about $8,500,000 and intended to provide Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek with improved equipment to carry on his guerrilla warfare against the Japanese army.

The tentative contract between Bellanca Aircraft and the Chinese national government is dated August 9, 1938. It was signed by Dr. Leonard H. Hsu, counselor of the commission of aeronautical affairs of the Chinese republic, and Giuseppe M. Bellanca, president of the company bearing his name.

U. S. Approval Specified

The tentative contract between Bellanca and the Chinese republic, dated August 9, 1938, states:

"Accepted pending approval by the national government of the republic of China, and the Ambassador of the United States of America (also the Commission on Aeronautical Affairs. Hsu."

The base price of $39,800 for each plane, excluding armaments, calls for provisions by Bellanca for each plane of armament and bomb rack, radio, flares and oxygen equipment.

The tentative agreement provides that 50 per cent of the total purchase price of the planes will be paid at the time of signing and the remainder by delivering to Bellanca Aircraft "an irrevocable letter of credit issued by a bank to be mutually agreed upon, which letter of credit shall provide for delivery."

Silver Sale Forecast

In connection with the financing of this huge order, it is believed, that the Chinese government will probably build up dollar balances in the United States through the sale of silver to the Treasury under the agreement which was extended recently.

In recent weeks it was also disclosed that Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau, jr., and the Chinese government had extended the agreement of 1937, under which the Chinese government's acquisition of dollars and foreign exchange would be facilitated.

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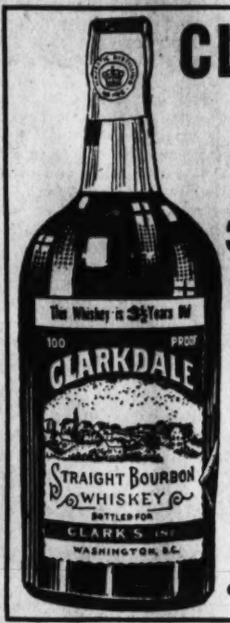

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Nelson B. Bell About the Showshops

536 Critics Choose Year's 'Ten Best' Films

Disney's 'Snow White' Accorded First Honors; Olivia De Havilland Coming to Washington; This and That About the Theater

IN THE view of 536 motion picture critics, divided among the newspapers, magazines and syndicate services throughout the United States, the best picture of 1938 was Walt Disney's "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs."

BELL

There was, as everybody must know by now, considerable controversy among the boys and girls of the press as to whether "Snow White" was entitled to compete with film plays enlisting the services of human actors and presumably human directors and technicians. This department went pretty thoroughly on record in this disputative matter. We felt that "Snow White" was one of the most extraordinary entertainments we ever had seen—regardless of medium or method of production. We still think that. However, we put it last, instead of first, on our list of the "Ten Best Pictures of the Year," in tacit acknowledgment of the fact that there might be a doubt as to its eligibility.

But to get to the gist of the matter, the Film Daily's seventeenth annual poll of us poor scriveners who attempt to appraise values in the cinematic field, resulted precisely as follows. The "Ten Best Pictures of the Year" were:

1. "SNOW WHITE AND THE SEVEN DWARFS."
2. "YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU."
3. "ALEXANDER'S RAGTIME BAND."
4. "BOYS TOWN."
5. "MARIE ANTOINETTE."
6. "IN OLD CHICAGO."
7. "THE ADVENTURES OF ROBIN HOOD."
8. "THE CITADEL."
9. "LOVE FINDS ANDY HARDY."
10. "THE HURRICANE."

The Disney production, it is worthy of note, ran so far ahead of its field that there was no catching it in the stretch run. It aggregated a total of 419 votes, leading "You Can't Take It With You" by 47. Even so, it ran behind last year's winner, "The Life of Emile Zola," which garnered 453 first choices.

Since we are one of the nefarious accomplices in this annual adventure in one of the cinema's most engaging guessing games, it may, or may not, be interesting to recall that on Monday, December 12, 1938, we nominated the following list as our feeble notion of the "Ten Best Pictures of 1938:"

1. "YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU."
2. "MARIE ANTOINETTE."
3. "THE CITADEL."
4. "THE ADVENTURES OF ROBIN HOOD."
5. "ALEXANDER'S RAGTIME BAND."
6. "THE HURRICANE."
7. "BOYS TOWN."
8. "THE FIREFLY."
9. "SUEZ."
10. "SNOW WHITE AND THE SEVEN DWARFS."

Coincidence Raises Its Ugly Head

That coincides, more or less, with the national consensus. Eight of our selections seem to have dovetailed with the mass opinion of the other 535 guys and gals contributing to this symposium.

It may be remembered by the five stalwart readers of this palladium—and what gluttons for punishment they must be!—that we stated when making our nominations that certain fixed theories of appraisal governed our judgment—if any. One was that "a good big picture is always better than a good little picture." So we chose Twentieth Century-Fox's "Suez" in preference to "In Old Chicago," because "Suez" seemed to our benighted vision, a little less "hammy" than its sister-film from the same studio. Likewise, "The Firefly" seemed to us to express a fuller comprehension of the scope and flexibility of the celluloids than "Love Finds Andy Hardy," also made by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. Not that the identity of the producing studio had anything to do with it. It is merely an odd coincidence—and it is amazing in this business how many of them spring up—that both of the defeated candidates on my list of the "Ten Best" should have been supplanted by other releases of the identical producers.

Well, there it is. Agree with the composite decision or not, as to which were the best pictures of 1938, there seems to be little, now, that can be done about it.

Personal aside to my ardent admirer in Arlington, Va.—with reverse English—I am berry, berry sorry that the batting average is .800. Am afraid that fine assignment on the country weekly will have to wait. Love and kisses.

Olivia De Havilland "Beats the Gun"

Olivia de Havilland, one of the loveliest and most competent of the cinema's younger actresses, is the first to declare herself as determined to be present in Washington on Monday night, January 30, for the observance of the President's Birthday Celebrations. Miss De Havilland will be a welcome guest.

This young star's presence in the National Capital for the most notable event of the year has been made possible through the courtesy of the Warner Brothers-First National Studios, in Burbank, Calif., where she only recently has completed work with Erroll Flynn in "Dodge City," a screen subject, which, like "The Adventures of Robin Hood," has been screened entirely in Technicolor. The personal appearance of Miss De Havilland will precede her screen image on the silver sheet at the Earle Theater in "Wings of the Navy" by only a week.

This journey to Washington is a bit in the nature of a concession on the part of Olivia. She does not ordinarily get around much in Hollywood. That is to say, her appearance at a night club is almost an event. It is seldom that she is observed in any of the gay and highly illuminated—in more senses than one—after-dark spots in the film capital. But the President's Birthday Celebrations are something else again. She probably will be seen and admired by more people here in a single night than she would be on Hollywood boulevard in a year. And that is meant to be no "asparagus" on Hollywood boulevard. It is a fine street. Maybe not so fine as Pennsylvania avenue, but still a fine street.

The-Old-Paresis-Has-Set-in-Again Note

I still can't think of it!

To Attend Presidential Celebrations

OLIVIA DE HAVILLAND

remembered for her sterling screen work in "A Midsummer Night's Dream" and "The Adventures of Robin Hood," and soon to be seen in "Wings of the Navy," another production by Warner Brothers, who is first of the Hollywood stars to declare her intention of being in Washington to participate in the President's Birthday Celebrations on January 30. Miss De Havilland recently also has been featured with Errol Flynn in "Dodge City," filmed in Technicolor by the Warners

In Hollywood

With Hedda Hopper

Hollywood, Calif., Jan. 10.—Paramount brought out Esquire's Petty—you know, the man who draws those luscious beauties—to pick out gorgeous dames for Jack Benny's "Man About Town." Petty, who's a real guy, and doesn't look at all like an artist, says, "Now if they'd asked me to choose elephants or tigers, that would be right up my alley. The only model I've ever had is my daughter who's an athlete—full of life, with a lot of curves. Say, can anyone tell me where I can find a good crap game." He was introduced to Benny's Rochester, and I believe that little matter was taken care of! Petty picked all the husky, healthy girls and now Paramount's wondering if they can use them.

HEDDA HOPPER

Our producers were pretty upset when Manager Myron Selznick announced that at least a dozen of his biggest stars, directors and writers would work for him on a co-operative basis. A pretty daring thing to do, but such a good idea that Walter Wagner instantly started to carry it out on "Trade Winds."

Now the biggest producers in Hollywood have put their heads together and are trying to work out a plan whereby all our top stars, writers and directors will make pictures on the co-operative plan. It will lesson their burden and stars won't have to pay such tremendous income taxes because profits, if any, will cover a much longer period. And it will lessen the headaches of all studios where expenses have increased 30 per cent the last year. Then, too, through this method we'll actually find out, and so will the stars, if they're worth $150,000 a picture.

Of course, the difficulty will be, as always, to find good stories. For instance, Freddie March won't make nearly as much money on "Trade Winds" as he would have made on "A Star Is Born" had he done that on the same basis. Nobody asked my opinion, therefore I'll give it—I believe it's a step forward for everybody. We won't be sending out on personal tours players who made one success five years before, with the exhibitor as usual taking the loss

But delving back into the archives, I find that in 1915 Cecil B. DeMille made "Kindling," with Tommy Meighan for $8,757.92. In 1919, costs had increased so much that "Male and Female" with Gloria Swanson and Meighan cost $160,000—and that was the biggest picture of the year. Today, you couldn't "can" that picture for under $1,500,000.

The reason Danielle Darrieux didn't want to leave France and the husband whom she adores, is because she didn't like the picture, "Rio," prepared for her. Now she's on her way over to do "Almost an Angel" under the direction of Eddie Ludwig, who did such a grand job with Deanna Durbin in "That Certain Age." Incidentally, that picture outgrossed all of Deanna's others. And Anatole Litwak, who's been at Universal all these weeks waiting for Danielle, goes back to Warner Brothers.

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The New Yorker

By Leonard Lyons

New York, Jan. 11.

ROMANCE: All the newspapers featured the story of Bryan Grover, Britain's flying Romeo, who made an unauthorized flight into Russia to claim the Russian-born wife he hadn't seen for five years . . . The British papers headlined the story "Typical British Romeo" . . . Typical or not, the reports all failed to mention that Grover had been married before—to a Birmingham, Ala., society girl named Jacobs. He met her in Holland in 1930, and they were divorced a few years ago. The former Mrs. Grover now owns a Birmingham dress shop.

BEAUTY: Tallulah Bankhead and her husband, John Emery, visited Maxie Rosenbloom's cafe, where Tallulah told Maxie: "You're not the only one here who has cauliflower ears. My John once was a fighter. Look at his ear" . . . Rosenbloom examined Emery's ear and snickered: "That's a sissy cauliflower" . . . "It used to be a real cauliflower, but I had it opened by a doctor," Emery explained. "Why don't you have yours treated the same way?" . . . "What?" confessed Rosenbloom. "And ruin my career in pictures?"

ENTERPRISE: After it became evident that "Leave It to Me" would be an assured hit, the authors, Sam and Bella Spewack, wired Vinton Freedley, the producer. "Well, we gave you a hit on a golden platter" . . . "Thanks," Freedley wired back. "The platter was yours, but the gold was mine."

FAME: Vera Zorina left the "I Married an Angel" stage-door and immediately was besieged by a horde of autograph hunters . . . She obliged the group, entered her car—and was set upon by another batch . . . The patient lady accepted the papers, signed and returned them . . . "Are you sure you want my autograph?" Zorina asked the last man in line . . . "Yes, I do," he assured . . . The man was Sam Jaffe, now being featured in "The Gentle People," and the movie, "Gunga Din."

ACCURACY: That Brooklyn former alderman, recently referred to here in connection with a bus franchise bribery indictment, is not a lawyer.

CONFLICT: District Attorney Dewey has made an application to transfer to General Sessions the Goldis-Snyder murder trial which was scheduled to be tried before Supreme Court Justice Ferdinand Pecora . . . This is the case upon which Dewey based his campaign for district attorney two years ago . . . Justice Pecora will not transfer the case . . . He will preside at this extraordinary special and trial term until its completion.

DEFEAT: When Anthony Eden visited this country, he was entertained by Alfred Rheinstein, the New York housing commissioner—who conducted Eden on a tour of the new housing developments . . . "Did Eden say anything about Chamberlain or Hitler—or Munich?" Rheinstein was asked . . . "No," he replied, "Mr. Eden wouldn't even mention Munich—not even beer."

CHATTER: Jess Willard, for whom Jack Dempsey has been looking, is spending his time lamenting the fates in a gin-mill next to Dempsey's Vanderbilt Hotel in Miami Beach . . . Mayor LaGuardia's next appointments to magistrate's jobs will be Robert F. Mahoney and William Northrop, who was Seabury's aide in the Jimmy Walker quiz . . . An Albany legislator this week will introduce a proposal to investigate The State Liquor Authority.

SPEED: William K. Vanderbilt came to El Morocco and told friends: "I just flew up from Miami. I saw Max Constant win the New York-to-Miami air race there and came right back here. That Constant sure flies fast" . . . "You don't know how fast," Vanderbilt was told. "That man at the next table is Constant. He's been here for hours" . . . Constant, incidentally, is presenting the Victory cups he won to Mrs. Floyd Odlum—because he used her plane in the race.

WAR: Leslie Hore-Belisha, Britain's former Secretary of State for War, spent the New Year's holiday at the Alsace estate of M. Mathis, the French auto manufacturer who made the New York headlines by fighting a gang of cafe jewel thieves . . . Mathis' estate is near France's Maginot Line . . . "Did you get to inspect the Maginot Line?" Hore-Belisha was asked, when he returned . . . "No," he confided. "The nearest I came to it was playing toy soldiers with my host's children."

TRIUMPH: After the christening of Franklin D. Roosevelt 3d, the infant was held in the arms of his grandmother, Eleanor Roosevelt . . . The baby's mother, Ethel, extended her arms for her child . . . "Please, I want to hold him just a little while longer," pleaded the President's wife. "This is something which is fulfillment for every woman, in every land . . . And it's been so long . . ."

Actor Eats, Drinks Way Through Film

Sidney Toler earnestly looked forward today to completion of his role in "Disbarred," so that his appetite for lunch and dinner may be restored.

Toler has been called upon to eat or drink his way through every scene. Among things provided by Director Robert Florey for Toler's gastronomic marathon have been apples, candy washed down with champagne (ginger ale), grapes, cheese and crackers, pears, peanuts and coffee. In his death scene, in which he is shot down by Kruger, he will munch gum drops.

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Helen Hayes Returns in Her Greatest Role

'Victoria Regina' Comes To National Next Week; Other New Programs

Helen Hayes brings her magnificent characterization of Queen Victoria back to the stage where, three years ago, it had its inception. When "Victoria Regina" returns to the National Theater on next Monday night, the eminent actress will pe nearing the end of a phenomenally successful engagement in the role. It has been said that Miss Hayes' interpretation has taken on further depth and radiance in the hundreds of performances she has given since the Washington opening. Laurence Housman wrote the play with the story of the wife and mother more in his mind than the regal picture of the Queen. Gilbert Miller's production brings a new Prince Consort in the person of Werner Bateman, a young Viennese actor, but the rest of the cast is a familiar one, including Abraham Sofaer, Alexander Clark and James Gibson. There will be the usual Wednesday and Saturday matinees.

"The Cowboy and The Lady," co-starring Gary Cooper and Merle Oberon, opens at the Palace Theater this morning. Concerning the rich heiress who loves the poor cowboy and what happens when they try marriage, this new Samuel Goldwyn production features Patsy Kelly, that boisterously low-brow comedienne, and Walter Brennan, whose ways are generally more paternal than boisterous. Also on the Palace screen will be a Technicolor "Fashion Forecast," by Vyvan Donner, which will present some beautiful new models in some beautiful new clothes. The latest news events also are on the bill.

Whatever happens when three such foreboding villains as Basil Rathbone, Boris Karloff and Bela Lugosi tie up to a film called "Son of Frankenstein," will be unreeled this morning at RKO-Keith's Theater. Karloff, as the monster, has furthered the line of his family in his youthful son, played by Basil Rathbone. Lugosi plays a crazed shepherd and Lionel Atwill lends his none-too-reassuring presence in this new screen play by Willis Cooper. Josephine Hutchinson, Emma Dunn, Donnie Dunagan and Edgar Norton have other roles. For relief work Keith's is holding "The Practical Pig," the Walt Disney cartoon, for a third week.

"Say it in French," a comedy concerning a young American who returns from France with a lovely bride only to find that to save the family fortunes, his parents have arranged his engagement to an American debutante will be the new feature at the Earle Theater beginning tomorrow morning. Ray Milland and Olympe Bradna have the leading roles in this one and are supported by Irene Hervey, Janet Beecher, Mary Carlisle, Erik Rhodes and Walter Kingsford. On the stage Bob Crosby and his band will present a rhythmic program of the type that has made them radio favorites. Featured with the band are Marion Mann, sweet singer of swing; the All-American Swing Four and others.

"Artists and Models Abroad" is the musical film which will arrive tomorrow at Loew's Capitol Theater. Jack Benny and Joan Bennett head the cast which also includes Charles Grapewin, Mary Boland, Georges Renavent and Joyce Compton. The Yacht Club Boys sing one of their own songs and Rainger and Robin have contributed three, including "What Have You Got That Gets Me?" Directed by Mitchell Leisen, the picture tells of American vaudeville "hoofers" stranded at the Paris Exposition. For the stage, Producer Gene Ford has planned a "Surprise Party," which will bring Josephine Huston, the radio vocalist; Ross and Stone, comedy team; Maurice and Betty Whalen, America's youngest adagio team, and the 24 Chester Hale Capitol Comets in some fresh routines.

Bearing the timely title, "Smashing the Spy Ring," tomorrow's new film at the Metropolitan Theater boasts a Washington setting and startling resemblances to recent front-page stories. Ralph Bellamy plays a G-man and Fay Wray, Regis Toomey, Warren Hull, Lorna Gray and Walter Kingsford have supporting roles in this new release from the megaphone of Christy Cabanne. Supplementing this new picture will be the latest news pictorials and short subjects.

After breaking all sorts of records at the Capitol Theater over the holidays, "Out West With the Hardy's" will begin a return downtown engagement at the Columbia Theater tomorrow morning. The fifth of the popular series of the judge and his family, this one relates their adventures on a Western ranch. Mickey Rooney, Lewis Stone, Ann Rutherford, Fay Holden and Cecilia Parker are in the cast, as usual, and a 10-year-old youngster, Virginia Weidler, shows Mickey a thing or two about shooting, riding and roping. Short subjects and news events complete the program.

"Grand Illusion" will continue its return engagement at the Belasco Theater. Hailed as the finest foreign production by the National Board of Review and countless reviewers throughout America, it deals with the relationship between men of different countries during the World War. It is a thoroughly gripping film showing the futility of armed conflict. Tomorrow night a specially invited list of Congressional leaders will attend the film.

The Trans-Lux Theater tomorrow will present a first-run Washington feature in "The Strange Case of Thomas Mooney," a two-reel film describing the events which culminated in his recent pardon. "Lady Life Guards," depicting the fair sex in a refreshing new role, and "The Washington Parade," taking Washingtonians to some of their own lesser known show places, are included in the short subjects at the Fourteenth street house, which offers besides a travelogue on the Philippines and Walt Disney's "Mother Goose Goes Hollywood." News subjects, as usual, form the major portion of the program.

Building gradually into something of a hit, "The Edge of the World" will remain at the Little Theater for another week. This is the film which deals with the Shetland Islands and the evacuation of one of those bleak spots after 1,000 years of habitation. Simply told, it employs exceptional camera shots to bring the unusual setting to the fore.

Takoma Park Studies Parking Problem With Merchants Divided on Time Limits

Montgomery County Bureau of the Post, 9213 Clark Ave., Silver Spring, Md. Telephone Ellsepherd 4200.

O. W. Youngblood, president of the Takoma Park Chamber of Commerce, has appointed Ralph Shure chairman of the committee to study the parking situation for the business section of the town, it was announced yesterday.

The committee, consisting of Douglas Bradshaw, jr., Robert Lohr, J. Milton Derrick and Leo Hubbard, after its study will make recommendations to Mayor John R. Adams and the town council at a public hearing on the matter next Monday at 8 p. m. at the firehall.

Meanwhile, when the executive committee of the chamber meets at noon tomorrow, the committee will make a report of its recommendations.

About 50 were ticketed recently for violating the one-hour parking regulation on Carroll and Laurel avenues. Merchants claim many of the cars were parked by persons attending services at the Seventh-Day Adventist Church Friday nights and Saturday mornings, and also by bus commuters who park their cars in the business area all day while they are downtown.

Many merchants favor a three-hour parking limit while others maintain one-hour parking is sufficient for the average shopper.

Foxhunters Elect

Maj. H. B. Montgomery, of Lanham, Md., was elected president of the Maryland Foxhunters' Association at the annual meeting of the State-wide group in Rockville. He succeeds A. G. Rolfe, of Washington.

Other officers chosen: Vice president, Walter B. Randall, Washington; secretary, Mrs. Dorothy Gott Brosius, Rockville; assistant secretary, William A. Marlow, Fairland; treasurer, Josiah J. Hutton, Brookeville; advisory board, A. G. Rolfe, Washington; Z. McCubbin Waters, Goshen; James B. Bland, Suitland, and Whitney J. Aitcheson, Laurel.

Arrangements for the association's annual Labor Day Horse Show were placed in charge of a committee consisting of Bernard T. Brosius, chairman; Otto W. Anderson, A. G. Pohlman, Boyd Keys, Harold Rolfe and Ralph P. Counselman. E. F. Higdon was made chairman of the dance committee and authorized to name the other members.

A legislative committee, composed of Ward Burdine, Z. M. Waters, William A. Marlow and Otto W. Anderson, also was selected.

Files for Divorce

Rockville—Through Attorneys James R. Kirkland and William A. Coombe, of Washington, Mrs. Ruth M. Seeger, of Silver Spring, Md., has filed suit in the circuit court here for a divorce from William H. Seeger, also of Silver Spring. She also asks to be awarded custody of the couple's 19-year-old son, William H. Seeger, jr., and to be allowed alimony and counsel fees. The couple were married in Rockville September 6, 1917, the petition states.

Deputy Sheriffs Named

Sheriff H. Leslie Carlin has appointed Albert M. Thomas and J. William Leverton special deputy sheriffs for the county. Gov. Nice has appointed Sara Allison a notary public for the county. All have subscribed to the oath before the clerk of the circuit court here.

Wilson Will Filed

The will of Jesse H. Wilson, jr., which has been filed for probate in the orphans' court here, bequeaths his entire estate to his sister, Elisabeth, subject to the dower rights of his wife, Mrs. Bertha Mabel Wilson. The instrument, executed August 15, 1916, does not give the value of the estate.

Court In Recess

The orphans' court for Montgomery County was not in session yesterday because of the inauguration of Gov. Herbert R. O'Conor, but will hold a session Friday instead, it was stated today by Register of Wills Hanson G. Cashell.

Banks Elect Officers

Rockville—Directors of several Montgomery County banks have been elected for 1939 as follows:

Montgomery County National of Rockville—Judge Thomas M. Anderson, Douglas M. Blandford, George P. Henderson, Lloyd J. Jones, Franklin H. Karn, Dr. J. Thomas Kelley, Dr. Benjamin C. Perry, Robert Peter, William F. Prettyman, Paul C. Ramsdell, Dr. Robert W. Vinson and Dr. Robert C. Warfield.

The directors re-elected Mr. Henderson president, Mr. Ramsdell, vice president; J. Paul Brunett, cashier; Reuben Rizer and Mrs. Charles A. Beard, assistant cashiers; Mr. Prettyman, counsel.

First National, Gaithersburg—Louis D. Bell, C. O. Bordeaux, Zadoc M. Cooke, Dr. Bates Etchison, Garnet Etchison, William W. Hodges, Leonard H. Hoyle, John E. Oxley, J. Sinclair Taylor, Harold W. Ward.

Officers re-elected: Dr. Etchison, president; William W. Hodges, vice president; Leonard H. Hoyle, executive vice president; C. O. Bordeaux, cashier; Leona G. Fulks, assistant cashier; William T. Talbott and John E. Oxley, attorneys.

First National, Sandy Spring—Dr. Jacob W. Bird, Calvin Bready, Frank J. Downey, Allan Farquhar, Mary E. Gilpin, T. Lamar Jackson, Josiah W. Jones, Richard H. Lanedale, Francis Miller, William E. Talbott, Fred L. Thomas.

Officers re-elected: Fred L. Thomas, president; Frank J. Downey, vice president; Josiah W. Jones, chairman of board; Francis Miller, cashier; Francis Thomas, assistant cashier; Miss Sallie P. Brooke, bookkeeper; Carl M. Beall, teller; Mrs. Madeline Amphlett, stenographer.

Men's Club to Dine

Takoma Park—The annual dinner of the Men's Club of Trinity Episcopal Church will be held January 19 from 5:30 until 7 p. m. at the Parish Hall, Piney Branch road and Dahlia street.

Quota Club to Elect

Bethesda—Election of officers of the Montgomery County Quota Club will be held at a dinner meeting at 6:30 tonight at the Kenwood Country Club. The president, Miss Lillian Moore, will preside.

Westminster, Md., Jan. 11 (AP).—Officers today assembled evidence turned up in an extended investigation into the New Year's Day death of Lewis Calvin Myers, 48, near Mount Airy, Md., and prepared to introduce it at a hearing tomorrow for Roland Myers, 23-year-old step-son who is charged with manslaughter.

The step-father died at a birthday party New Year's Day at the home of Jesse H. Brashears, a relative, near Mount Airy.

Sheriff Walter L. Shipley said he and Sheriff Guy Anders, of Frederick County, questioned a dozen members of the family and took Myers into custody when they were given conflicting statements about where the body was found.

The sheriff charged that young Myers hit his s tep-father before he died.

U. S. Intervenes In Denton Fight On Postoffice Site

Denton, Md., Jan. 11 (AP).—The Government today took a hand in Denton's town-wide controversy over the site of a new postoffice by starting a condemnation suit for grounds on the east side of the courthouse square.

Hearing on the action was scheduled for January 17 in Baltimore before the United States District Court.

The Caroline County commissioners recently offered the site on the east side of the square to the Government, but their action precipitated the opposition of the Denton Woman's Club.

Front Royal Acts On Bond Issues

Front Royal, Va., Jan. 11.—The town council last night took initial steps to issue bonds totaling $111,000.

William C. Armstrong, jr., town attorney, was directed to petition the Warren County Circuit Court to fix a date for an election on a bond issue of $45,000 of water improvement bonds and $31,000 of sewer bonds. These issues, if approved, will be used for needed water and sewer facilities resulting from the industrialization of the town by the location of a rayon yarn manufacturing plant of the American Viscose Corporation, nearing completion, which will employ approximately 6,000 persons.

A third issue of bonds in the amount of $35,000 general improvement and funding bonds is intended to replace money spent from current funds for capital improvements.

Lauck Again Chosen To Head Printing Week

Lexington, Va., Jan. 1 (AP).—C. Harold Lauck, of the journalism school faculty at Washington and Lee University, will serve for the sixth consecutive year as chairman of the observance of printing education week in Virginia. The program honors Benjamin Franklin, whose 233d birthday anniversary will be celebrated January 17.

Fairfax Plans 1940 Survey Of Realty

D. C. Commuters Add Difficulties, Commerce Chamber Report Says

FAIRFAX BUREAU OF THE POST, P. O. BOX 248, Fairfax, Va. Phone Falls Church 3088-M.

Need of more equitable and accurate assessment of real estate in Fairfax County was stressed at the January meeting of the Fairfax County Chamber of Commerce in a report by its reassessment survey committee. The State law makes mandatory a general reassessment of real estate in the county in 1940 and every fourth year thereafter.

The report was submitted by Omer L. Hirst, of Annandale, chairman of the committee, who said this law makes it imperative that the county create a sound system of procedure to keep the assessment up to date so that subsequent assessments may be made with minimum expense and no inequity to property owners.

An influx of residents has caused more need for school and other governmental service and increased property valuations, in sections within commuting distance of Washington, the report states. Present tax gathering machinery of the county is not geared to reach this added valuation, it adds, and residents of farming sections are being overtaxed to provide better governmental services for the entire county, particularly in those areas of rapid suburbanization.

Other Recommendations

Creation of a citizens' advisory committee to assist the circuit court in applying standards by which applicants for assessor or member of the equalization board would be judged, also was recommended. It was suggested that such a body would free the court of much detail, though it would have no real authority concerning appointments.

A stronger county building permit ordinance, to discourage evasions of the present regulations, which were termed "notorious," was advocated. It was suggested that an official be delegated with responsibility of checking improvements to real estate and that a reasonable charge be made for building permits to help defray the cost.

Another recommendation was that as a preliminary to the 1940 assessment, a real property survey be made and thorough information gathered by the survey to facilitate work of the assessment board. The committee suggested that such a survey might cost approximately $15,000, a portion of which might be financed through a Works Progress Administration project, as most of the necessary work would be clerical.

Dr. Sweet Elected

Reviewing the 1930 real estate assessment, the last one made in the county, it was brought out that only about 180 days were required; an average of 78 pieces of property assessed each day, as there were about 14,000 parcels of land then. It was urged that the assessment board be given more time in 1940.

Following the public session of the trade body, the board of directors met and elected Dr. Lennig Sweet, of Fairfax, to fill the vacancy on the board caused by the resignation of Miss Mary Walton McCandlish, of Fairfax.

Annandale Players to Dance

Annandale—The monthly dance sponsored by the Annandale Players Club will be held tomorrow night in the Annandale School auditorium.

Franconia Firemen's Dance

Franconia—The Franconia Volunteer Fire Department will sponsor a round dance in the Franconia School auditorium tomorrow night from 9 to 12. Proceeds will be applied on the purchase of the fire engine. This is the first of a series of such dances during the winter and spring.

Fairfax Red Cross Meets

Fairfax—The executive committee of the Fairfax County Chapter, American Red Cross, meeting at the Court House yesterday, decided not to include in this year's budget provision for a full time executive secretary. The meeting was called by the chairman, Mrs. David L. Wing, that the appointee might have the opportunity to attend the Red Cross School for Secretaries, which opens February 1.

The treasurer, Mrs. E. D. Vosbury, reported a roll call to date of 1,928 members, and $2,765.61 collected. While this is the largest enrollment in the county, only 6 per cent of its population is included.

Parent-Teachers Elect

West Falls Church—The St. James Parent-Teacher Association yesterday elected Mrs. B. F. Salisbury, of Merrifield, president. Mrs. Francis Wagner was named vice president; Mrs. A. Phillips, secretary; and Mrs. Thomas Probey, treasurer. The meeting was at the home of Miss Corita Seoane.

Dr. Holmes to Speak

Falls Church—Dr. Edward B. Holmes, director of the Fairfax County Health Department, will speak on public health at the Falls Church Women's Club Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Carroll V. Shreve. Mrs. O. B. Livingston is in charge of the program.

Defer Cemetery Improvements

Falls Church—W. N. Febrey has been re-elected president of the Oakwood Cemetery Association of Falls Church. H. P. Noble was named vice president; Isaac T. Rullman, secretary-treasurer; and W. T. Westcott, superintendent. Improvements on Broad street front of the cemetery are postponed pending improvements by the State.

Miss Ankers Heads Y. W. A.

Falls Church—The Young Women's Association of Columbia Baptist Church met Monday night with Miss Edith Robey at Dunn Loring. Miss Margaret Ankers was elected president; Miss Catherine Fenwick, vice president; Miss Adelaide Howser, secretary; Miss Edith Robey, treasurer.

Miss Ankers named the following committees: Membership, Miss Edith Robey, chairman; Miss Dorothy Bergeson, Miss Mathilda Renn. Program, Miss Helen Jewell, chairman; Miss Adelaide Howser, Miss Evelyn Markard. Social, Miss Verna Bergeson, chairman; Miss Virginia Roberts, Miss Virginia Markward. Personal service, Miss Catherine Fenwick, chairman; Miss Evelyn Via. Publicity, Miss Margaret McNab, chairman; Miss Mitzi Payne.

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Game Group Elects

Moorefield, W. Va., Jan. 11.—Raymond L. Orndorff, of Fabius, was elected president of the Hardy County Game and Fish Association for 1939. H. H. Dudley is vice president and K. G. Vance secretary-treasurer.

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Film Table

Earle—"Paris Honeymoon," at 11 a. m., 1:45, 4:30, 7:15 and 10:05 p. m. Stage shows at 12:40, 3:25, 6:15 and 9 p. m.

Loew's Capitol—"The Duke of West Point," at 10:15 a. m., 1:10, 4:05, 7 and 9:55 p. m. Stage shows at 12:15, 3:15, 6:10 and 9:05 p. m.

RKO-Keith's—"Son of Frankenstein," at 11:35 a. m., 1:35, 3:35, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:35 p. m.

Palace—"The Cowboy and the Lady," at 12:05, 2:30, 4:50, 7:15 and 9:40 p. m.

Metropolitan—"Devil's Island," at 11:55 a. m., 1:55, 3:55, 5:55, 7:55 and 9:55 p. m.

Columbia—"The Young in Heart," at 11:45 a. m., 1:45, 3:45, 5:45, 7:45 and 9:45 p. m.

Belasco—"Grand Illusion," at 4:15, 6:05, 8 and 9:50 p. m.

Little Theater—"The Edge of the World," at 11 a. m., 1:10, 3:20, 5:30, 7:45 and 9:55 p. m. "The Adventures of Chico," at 12:20, 2:30, 4:45, 6:55 and 9:05 p. m.

Trans-Lux—Newsreel and shorts at 10 and 11:45 a. m., 12:30, 1:45, 3, 4:15, 5:30, 6:45, 8, 9:15 and 10:45 p. m.

Tivoli—"A Christmas Carol," at 1:50, 3:50, 5:50, 7:50 and 9:50 p. m.

Ambassador—"The Great Waltz," at 1:20, 3:25, 5:25, 7:30 and 9:35 p. m.

Uptown—"There Goes My Heart," at 1:40, 3:40, 5:35, 7:35 and 9:35 p. m.

Belasco

"Grand Illusion" has risen to unexpected heights of recognition since it first appeared. Shown for the first time in Paris in the summer of 1937, it was highly acclaimed, but so far as American consumption was involved, it seemed likely that we might not even see it. It began a third engagement yesterday at the Belasco Theater.

And only within the last few days it has been accorded first place in the importations of the year by the National Board of Review and the New York Film Critics Circle. Its success in this country must be gratifying to its creator, Jean Renoir.

It tells of two French officers and a mechanic, who have been taken to a German concentration camp during the World War. One of the men is of a fine family and gains the respect of the governor of the prison where they are confined. The governor is likewise of a career family, and together they watch the men, who have been drawn into the war by force of outside circumstance. The three men plan a way to escape, the career officer all the while conscious that he is breaking a confidence of his friendly enemy. To make the plan a success, the officer sacrifices himself and the other two get away. In a memorable tramp, they manage to reach safety at the farm of a German widow. The relationship of these three, whose countries are at war, is strikingly and carefully brought out. It gives rise to the entire theses of the film.

Is a Work of Art

When a whole is so complete a work of art, it is difficult and almost unfair to single out particular episodes for mention. "Grand Illusion" is literally such a complete work of art. But everyone will remember different moments in the film. This reviewer will always recall the two prisoners fleeing across the snow and the young German widow looking so wonderingly at her unexpected guests.

Son of the great artist, it is no wonder that Jean Renoir has been so successful in so effectively telling the story that he himself wrote. Acting and photography are brought amazingly into the complete whole of the work, and if the acting of Erich von Stroheim, Pierre Fresnay and Jean Gabin is so vivid and pointed, it must be noted that they gave these excellent performances to the most important roles of the story. Dita Parlo is a shimmering vision as the widow, playing one of the most delicate roles seen on the screen with unusual restraint and unique simplicity.

"Men of Ships," concerning "Snug Harbor, On Staten Island," a comic cartoon and the newsreel are also on the bill at Belasco, where "Grand Illusion" should remain to be seen and inwardly digested as the most effective antiwar propaganda that exists in a frightened world.

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Luise Rainer, Fernand Gravet in "The Great Waltz" at 1:20, 3:25, 5:25, 7:30, 9:35. Also Newsreel.

AVE. GRAND 648 Pa. Ave. S.E. Mat. 1 P.M. LI. 5400
Bela Lugosi in "Dracula" at 1, 3:35, 6:15, 8:55. Boris Karloff in "Frankenstein" at 2:15, 4:55, 7:30, 10:15.

BEVERLY 18th & E Sts. N.E. LI. 2300. Mat. 1 P. M.
Parking Space Available to Patrons.
Fredric March, Virginia Bruce in "There Goes My Heart" at 1:35, 3:35, 5:35, 7:35, 9:35. "March of Time."

CALVERT 2324 Wisc. Ave. N.W. Mat. 1 P.M. WO. 2242
"Drums" in Technicolor with Sabu. Raymond Massey at 1, 3:10, 5:15, 7:25, 9:30. Also Popeye, Newsreel.

CENTRAL 935 9th St. N.W. Open 11 A.M. ME. 2241
Errol Flynn, Bette Davis in "The Sisters" at 11:30, 2, 4:30, 7, 9:30.

PENN 650 Pa. Ave. S.E. Mat. 1 P. M. LI. 2179
"Drums" in Technicolor with Sabu. Raymond Massey at 2:25, 3:20, 5:30, 7:30, 9:25. Also Cartoon.

SHERIDAN Ga. Ave. & Sheridan Mat. 1 P. M. RA. 2400
Fredric March, Virginia Bruce in "There Goes My Heart" at 1:30, 3:25, 5:35, 7:40, 9:45. Newsreel.

SILVER Ga. Ave. & Colesville Pike Mat. 1 P.M. Silver. 6300
Parking Space Available to Patrons.
Joan Crawford, Melvyn Douglas in "The Shining Hour" at 1, 2:45, 4:30, 6:20, 8:06, 9:55. "March of Time."

TIVOLI 14th & Park Rd. N.W. Mat. 1 P.M. CO. 1800
Reginald Owen, Lynne Carver in Charles Dickens' "Christmas Carol" at 1:50, 3:50, 5:50, 7:50, 9:50.

UPTOWN Conn. Ave. & Newark Mat. 1 P. M. WO. 4400
Parking Space Available to Patrons.
Fredric March, Virginia Bruce in "There Goes My Heart" at 1:40, 3:40, 5:35, 7:35, 9:35. "Ferdinand the Bull."

Theaters Having Eve. Performances

APOLLO 624 H Street N.E. LI. 3275
Richard Greene, Nancy Kelly in "Submarine Patrol" at 6, 7:55, 9:50.

AVALON 5612 Conn. Ave. N.W. WO. 2000
Joan Crawford, Melvyn Douglas in "The Shining Hour" at 6:15, 7:55, 9:40. Also "March of Time."

COLONY 4935 Ga. Ave. N.W. GE. 4500
Joan Crawford, Melvyn Douglas in "The Shining Hour" at 6:15, 8:05, 9:55. Also "March of Time."

HOME 1850 C St. N.E. AT. 8188
Anne Shirley in "Man to Remember" at 6, 8, 9:55. Also Comedy.

SAVOY 3030 14th St. N.W. CO. 4966
Gloria Stuart, Michael Whalen in "Sharpshooters" at 6:50, 8:30, 10:10.

SECO 8244 Ga. Ave., Silver Spring Sligo 2540 Parking Space
Clark Gable, Myrna Loy in "Too Hot to Handle" at 5:45, 7:40, 9:45.

TAKOMA 4th & Butternut Sts. GE. 4212 Parking Space
Bob Burns, Irvin S. Cobb in "Arkansas Traveler" at 6:13, 8, 9:50.

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CONGRESS 2001 Nichols Ave. S.E. Air-Conditioned
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Fred MacMurray and Ray Milland, "MEN WITH WINGS" at 5:15, 7:15, 9:15.

PRINCESS 1119 H St. N.E.
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"IF I WERE KING"
Ronald Colman, Frances Dee.

SYLVAN 1st and S. L. Ave. N.W.
Double Feature.
"BROTHER RAT"
Wayne Morris, Priscilla Lane.

PALM THEATER DEL RAY, VA.
"SUEZ"
Tyrone Power, Loretta Young.

NEWTON 12th and Newton Sts. N.E.
"MEN WITH WINGS"
Fred MacMurray, Ray Milland.
Mat. at 1 P. M.

BORO Bethesda, Md.
Double Feature
"INTERNATIONAL CRIME."
I. Hervey, "GIRL SAID NO."

HIPPODROME E Near 9th
Double Feature
"VACATION FROM LOVE."
Pat O'Brien, "SAN QUENTIN."

CAMEO MT. RAINIER, MD.
Cont. 6-11
Beery, Rooney, "STABLEMATES."

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Dr. Stokes' Advice

Dr. Anson Phelps Stokes deserves the thanks of the community for suggesting that the futile and unseemly controversy aroused by the Lewis report on local relief conditions should cease. Residents of the District for the most part realize the handicaps under which the director of public welfare and the head of the public assistance division have labored because of inadequate funds and a consequent lack of trained personnel. Few have taken at face value the charges of incompetency leveled against these conscientious officials.

It is always easier to arouse interest in an exchange of personalities than in consideration of constructive recommendations of an impersonal nature. Hence it is well to have Dr. Stokes' timely reminder that the District should be interested in essential reforms rather than in an essentially pointless wrangle over the qualifications for office of local incumbents of relief positions. If Washington had more public spirited citizens like Dr. Stokes, with a first-hand knowledge of local conditions and a disinterested desire to secure prompt reforms to raise standards of local administration, the District would be making much faster progress toward a solution of its problems.

So long as Congress refuses to supply the funds needed to assure adequate service, whether in administration of relief or other local activities, allowance must in fairness be made for the shortcomings of local administrators. It would be unjust to saddle relief officials in particular with responsibility for mistakes of judgment and deficiencies traceable to Congressional penuriousness. Only when it is possible to have adequate personnel will it be reasonable to apply rigorous standards to test the competency of those in charge of local welfare agencies.

Meantime, as Dr. Stokes advises, the District should be concentrating upon suggestions for reorganization of the relief setup, and changes in relief policies to meet well-founded criticisms.

Fight For Fair Formula

Senator Overton's plan to evolve a Federal-District fiscal formula on the basis of tax-exempt property has met with overwhelming approval among local citizen groups. Their response indicates that a very large share of Washington citizens see gross injustice in the present system of dividing the expenses of the Nation's Capital in accord with Congressional whim. Such a complaint, even from a voteless community, ought to be given thoughtful consideration in Congress.

Citizens have done well to make their voices heard. If grievances are to be corrected, it will be necessary for public spirited groups to formulate constructive policies and create a clamor in their behalf on Capitol Hill. In the absence of balloting privileges, the protests and appeals of organized citizens become all the more essential to a reform movement.

Those who are campaigning for a new means of adjusting the Federal payment to the District, however, should remember that the Overton formula has not yet been devised. In announcing his plans the new chairman of the Senate subcommittee on District appropriations probably hoped to obtain some constructive suggestions from local citizens. Just at present the greatest community service may be rendered by those who are willing to think the problem through with the object of arriving at a settlement that would be fair to both the Federal and local governments.

Several precautions are desirable in approaching the subject. No one should assume that Federal property in Washington should be taxed. Use of tax-exempt property as a yardstick by which the Federal payment may be partly or entirely measured might produce revenue comparable to actual taxation of Government buildings. But the distinction is vital. Congress would properly ignore a proposal to levy District taxes against national holdings in the Capital City. On the other hand, it has already recognized the principle of making payments in lieu of taxes. And that might logically be extended.

Talk of returning to the old 50-50 ratio of dividing expenses could well be discarded. It creates an impression that the community is seeking a handout instead of a reasonable fiscal agreement. The best chance of getting away from the inequitable lump-sum arrangement lies in the creation of a new formula that will be scrupulously fair to Congress as well as the District. The need of the hour is for co-operation with Senator Overton in that undertaking.

Fabian Franklin

Just a few names after that of Felix Frankfurter, in "Who's Who," stands that of Fabian Franklin, who was born in Hungary nearly 30 years before the new Supreme Court appointee first saw the light in Austria. Both men came to this country as children; both were born into the Jewish faith and both have in their separate ways contributed greatly to the development of American thought. There the similarities end.

For Dr. Franklin, who died in New York this week, just short of his eighty-sixth birthday, was as stalwart and sincere in his conservatism as is Mr. Justice Frankfurter in his liberal faith. By instinct, by reason and by conviction the older of these two Austro-Hungarian immigrants was what is nowadays commonly called a Tory. That is to say, he stoutly opposed himself to what he often called the "unthinking drift" toward socialistic experiments. And he did so with an intelligence as precise, as luminous and as brilliant as that which is universally conceded to Prof. Frankfurter.

Fabian Franklin is known to many of the older generation of Washingtonians as one of the class of 1869 at Columbian (now George Washington) University. He is remembered by the scholastic world for his work as professor of mathematics at Johns Hopkins University from 1879 to 1895. And he is noted in the newspaper profession as the academician who was from 1895 to 1908 the very successful editor of the Baltimore News, was then for some time contributing editor to the Baltimore Sun and who later became associate editor of the New York Evening Post.

Few newspaper editors could teach higher mathematics. Few great mathematicians could write trenchant editorials on monetary policies and other current problems. But in Dr. Franklin was achieved a synthesis of scientific thinking and popular writing the more impressive because the combination is so rare. Dr. Franklin's editorials were always as free from sentimentality as is the binomial theorem. But the thought behind them marched to its conclusion with the simplicity and perfection of a solved quadratic equation.

His versatility was Dr. Franklin's worst enemy. Had he stuck to one profession, as Prof. Frankfurter has stuck to the law, he would undoubtedly have been as famous a national figure. But Fabian Franklin, though conservative to the marrow, was nonetheless too intellectually vigorous to confine himself to any single field of mental endeavor. It was his unflagging interest in current problems which directed him to journalism. And for his stimulating intervention in that field, his insistence on the highest standards of care and accuracy amid the exigent pressures of daily publication, the press of this country should be, and is, grateful.

There is another thought in the coincidence which closes the life of Fabian Franklin just as Felix Frankfurter is chosen as the recipient of new and well-deserved honors. In their several ways, and far more often in disagreement than in unity, these two immigrant Jews have greatly contributed to the intellectual development, the cultural civilization of the United States. Both were brought to this country, from central Europe, as children. And in the free atmosphere of the United States both have been able to give in fullest measure, to the common fund, of the gifts with which they were so splendidly endowed.

If there should prove to be only two more like them among the refugee children for whom admission is now sought, then the investment, from the viewpoint of this democracy, would be well worth while.

Professional Directors

The looting of McKesson & Robbins by a band of ex-convicts has caused a number of people to wonder whether such scandals could not be made far less possible by a change in methods of selecting directors of large corporate enterprises.

In an address delivered this week in Texas, Chairman Douglas of the SEC suggested that it might be desirable to place professional directors, paid for their services, on the boards of large companies in place of inactive directors who "do so little in the way of actually directing or supervising corporate managements." Mr. Douglas emphasized that this proposal is to be regarded as "unofficial." But the inevitable conclusion is that the plan seems well worthy of serious consideration by the SEC, whether or not it proposes to push the matter.

Under present conditions small stockholders are often without adequate representation. Indeed, they may not be represented at all if control is concentrated in the hands of a few large stockholders, or if the management itself secures a dominant position on the board. Moreover, opportunities for fraud are increased by the practice of filling boards with inactive directors whom Mr. Douglas aptly describes as "ornamental on parade, but useless in battle."

Professional directors would have a direct incentive to discharge the duties of their office efficiently. In giving full-time services to a company, they would also have opportunity for independent investigations and check-ups on management. Some of the worst abuses of management have been made possible because directors have been too busy with other matters, or too indifferent really to direct.

Whether adoption of the English practice of placing paid directors on boards would work well in this country would depend to a large extent upon the character and competence of the professionals selected to serve. The number of those qualified to meet the requirements of the position would certainly be limited. But a single director who is alert, competent and thoroughly conversant with his field, is always a stimulus to more apathetic members of the group.

Even under the existing system directors serving without pay would be less likely to relax their vigilance if public opinion frowned upon multiple directorships and other practices that necessarily lessen the sense of individual responsibility.

Governor Of Maryland

With the inauguration of Gov. Herbert R. O'Conor, Maryland returns to the Democratic moorings to which it held fast during the four successive terms, begining in 1920, of the late Albert C. Ritchie. And Gov. O'Conor is not only a Democrat but a Democrat distinctly in the Ritchie tradition. The brand is old-fashioned and somewhat out of favor at Jackson Day dinners. But it remains popular in the Free State.

Mr. O'Conor's task as Governor will not be easy. He inherits from his amiable Republican predecessor a host of unsolved and increasingly difficult problems. For six years Maryland's budget has not been balanced even though, in an effort to achieve that balance, funds that should have gone to the road system have been diverted to general administration. Nor does it seem likely that a budget balance can be achieved merely by economizing.

This Gov. O'Conor realizes, as his inaugural address makes clear. To the cheering thousands who yesterday at Annapolis acclaimed his accession to the governorship, Maryland's new chief executive voiced some unpalatable but salutary truths. "We must balance our budget and maintain our credit," he said. But he did not stop with this painless generalization. He proposed to achieve this goal not only by substantial reductions in existing governmental costs, but also by increasing levies on the taxpayers. "We shall have to raise additional revenue . . . by taxation," he said. "There is no easy remedy, no palliative."

The path Gov. O'Conor proposes to follow is a rough one. It is certainly no more smooth because of the general demoralization of standards. But in his previous posts, the new executive has proved himself a competent and conscientious officeholder. Last November the people of Maryland honored him by giving him the highest post which is in their power to award. If Gov. O'Conor lives up to the promises embodied in his inaugural address that confidence will be well justified.

A Different Method

The Dies committee could learn a good deal about how to conduct a hearing by observing the methods followed by the judiciary subcommittee which is now considering the appointment of Prof. Felix Frankfurter as an associate justice of the Supreme Court.

Instead of permitting witnesses to make unsubstantiated charges against the appointee, members of the subcommittee have regularly challenged loose statements. Instead of taking at face value extravagant assertions by witnesses who see "red" wherever they look, the subcommittee listened with tolerant good humor to the extravagant charges of a lady writer of anticommunistic books who, in her denunciatory zeal, did not even spare Senator Norris or members of the Supreme Court.

Apart from a waste of time which is rather serious, no particular harm is done by permitting witnesses given to aimless ranting to testify, although it is evidence of bad judgment or carelessness in some quarters that they should succeed in gaining a hearing when valuable testimony is often excluded. It is only when extreme and unsupported allegations are received without challenge that real trouble arises.

For instance the Dies committee brought discredt upon itself and seriously impaired its potential usefulness because of its uncritical attitude and failure to distinguish between valid information and hearsay evidence. The members of the judiciary subcommittee, on the other hand, apparently know when to be critical, when to show tolerance, and when to pay attention. That is the only way in which it is possible to separate the chaff of testimony from the grain.

The alleged fact that money talks is hearsay to a large number of people.

No one has ever been able successfully to mix romance and rheumatism.

Government is an institution which the people should live under—not on.

If the owl is so wise, why does he spend so much time out on a limb?

I Used To Have A Nice Umbrella, Too

Letters to the Editor

All communications must carry the writer's name and address, though pen names are permitted at the Editor's discretion. In fairness to other correspondents brevity is requested. Letters are subject to condensation.

Our Own Minority

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Westbrook Pegler, your excellent iconoclastic columnist, who is often wrong, but always interestingly provocative, hit the nail on the head in his article in The Post of January 9, titled "Discrimination."

Being a member of that minority group of socially ostracized, politically disfranchised, economically exploited and otherwise underprivileged Americans who are popularly referred to as "Negroes," I can appreciate some of Mr. Pegler's observations. For instance, when he says in the real conditions of life "this large native American minority is no better off than the minority in Germany," and it were good for this country's soul to inspect the situation at home, "at least as often as we gaze with horror at the situation in Nazi Germany," he is on good ground and is voicing the opinion of the more thoughtful elements of the Negro American minority.

However, when Mr. Pegler intimates that the National Government disapproves of all or most of color discrimination and has adopted laws intended to mitigate it in time, I believe that the wish is father to the thought. Because it is a well-known fact that some of the most vicious manifestations of discrimination imaginable exist within practically all of the departments of Government.

Nevertheless, hurrah for Pegler, a writer with the courage of his convictions. May his tribe increase.

LAURENCE J. W. HAYES.
Washington, Jan. 9.

Concerning Education

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Apropos of the Municipal College of Washington for which some of your correspondents cry in a wilderness of bureaucracy, sectarianism, separatism, and capitalistic education, take the case of Felix Frankfurter. If that impoverished 12-year-old immigrant boy had the misfortune to land in Washington instead of Tammany-controlled New York, his schooling would have ceased with the public high school—the Godsend of the poor of all races and creeds. How could he have managed the high tuition of these local colleges? If he had, where would their degrees get him? If everything went for the best, he would be a resident of the District, hardly a citizen of America, unable to get the public eye or those first-preferment offices that start a man on the make.

Frankfurter landed in a political city where the poor are furnished a great college taught by unregimented men who get a living wage. He graduated from that college—a liberal college where boys learned to think. He went from there to Harvard University Law School and obtained a degree which gave him a push. And you have a great liberal legal scholar ready for the Supreme Court.

RUSH DEVEEN.
Washington, Jan. 10.

Retirement Plan

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: Why doesn't your paper start a campaign indorsing a 30-year optional retirement law for all Government employes. This is an important issue because it would put a lot of men to work each year.

Don't you think the idea is worth looking into, Mr. Editor? I am not a Government worker, not even a three-letter man (WPA). In fact, I am not working at all, and am ready for the bread line.

I can see the need of a good retirement law in this country. Just think of all the men in the Post-office alone who would get work as letter carriers with a 30-year retirement law, regardless of age, in effect all over the U. S. A.

Congressmen and Senators should look into a law of this kind so the men coming out of school can put in for a Government job if they want that line of work.

JOUIS J. MEEHAN.
Virginia, Minn., Jan. 6.

The Sculpture Exhibit

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I am writing this to call the attention of the readers of The Washington Post to the splendid exhibition of sculpture now being held at the Museum of Modern Art Gallery of Washington. Washington is certainly most fortunate to be a member of the organization which has its main office in New York City. The current show of sculpture is most inspiring, and its presentation has been done with extreme care.

It is interesting to notice how sculpture in the last few years has come into its own in this country. Painting had a rebirth about 12 years ago, but now many of its leaders are becoming repeaters of themselves, and consequently their work is not so important to see. So we still have to turn to new and younger members to keep up the standards of progression. Sculpture is steadily growing more important all the time.

I am yet a little puzzled why the critics should be so unenthusiastic over the charming piece called "Song." This delicate specimen of young childhood could hardly be expressed in a happier way, and naturally could not have been rendered in robust, massive, rectangular method that seems now to be so much in vogue.

There are works of art in plenty in this exhibition to give pleasure to the tastes of all the different visitors. I thoroughly recommend Washingtonians giving themselves the pleasure of seeing and supporting with their patronage this exhibition, which closes in the near future.

EBEN F. COMINS.
Washington, Jan. 9.

Beauties In Civil Service

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: I am much interessed by your item on page 13 of The Post of January 7, "Blender, for Plain Girls, Vows to End Favoritism to Beauties."

I was in the civil service 21 years ago when the beauty business had its inception, i. e., soon after the war.

It is amazing that the Senator was able to secure $2,500 for this investigation. True, it is quite inconsequential, as appropriations go, but I hope that the Senator will realize that every woman today is a potential charmer, because of beauty shops, hairdressers, powder, rouge and cosmetics in general.

Therefore, I hope he will hold no hearings, but rather allot a part of the $2,500 to all femmes (who feel they are being discriminated against) for beauty treatments, so that they may compete with their fair sisters for the czar's favor.

GANT HARLEIGH WAITE.
Washington, Jan. 7.

In Defense Of Harry Hopkins

To the Editor of The Post—Sir: The recent appointment of Mr. Harry L. Hopkins as Secretary of Commerce and the resultant flood of adverse comment in the press is of particular interest to all students of political science because of the nature of the criticism and, in several instances, its animus.

It is claimed that because of his occupation before being appointed administrator of the WPA, Mr. Hopkins is not qualified to serve in the capacity as Secretary of Commerce. Actually, his occupation in private life plus his experience as WPA administrator has served to give him a clear perspective of the problem of unemployment and the relation of that problem to the economic life of the Nation.

No one ventures to assume that the Government is going to continue indefinitely to provide for the unemployed. That is the responsibility of the Government only in times of emergencies such as floods, earthquakes, or similar disasters. Eventually organized business must lift the burden of unemployment from the shoulders of the Government and assume the load.

In working out this problem, Mr. Hopkins' experience has given him a clearer understanding of the situation than would have been possible had he followed some other line of endeavor. An analysis of his record reveals that he has that faculty necessary in any capable executive—the ability to make a success of any undertaking he attempts. It matters little that he was engaged in social welfare work in the past, the important question is Was he a success in his position?

The answer to that question is of course contained in his business record in private life and his more recent accomplishments as administrator of WPA. Without any question, most individuals will agree that WPA, under Mr. Hopkins, has been administered efficiently and in a businesslike manner. Without question, there has been, and still is, politics in the WPA—just as there was in the original FERA and the CWA, predecessors of WPA—but certainly no one can accuse Mr. Hopkins of playing politics with the recipients of relief or justifiably blame him because some of his subordinates have sometimes engaged in this practice. Mr. Hopkins has handled a tough assignment with outstanding ability and deserves commendation for doing the job he has.

With regard to the Department of Commerce, and intending no criticism of the policies of past Secretaries of the Department, it is time that new life and new administrative policies are interjected into that organization. Organized labor has its Department of Labor and the National Labor Relations Board; the farmers have the Department of Agriculture, and industry and organized business have the Department of Commerce if they will only make use of it.

Ask any farmer about the Department of Agriculture or a member of any labor union about the Department of Labor and you will find them conversant with the aims and policies of the respective departments, even if not always in agreement. Ask the average businessman about the Department of Commerce and in eight cases out of ten he is entirely unfamiliar with the activities of the department.

In being appointed Secretary of Commerce, Mr. Hopkins has another opportunity to demonstrate his ability. He may allow the department to continue in the future as it has in the past, or he may make it an active, aggressive, conciliator of the rights and privileges of organized business. For those who have watched his progress there can be no question as to which policy he will pursue.

In view of Mr. Hopkins' record it is only right and fair that he should be given an opportunity to demonstrate his ability in his new position. Time will soon tell whether he can measure up to the requirements of the position and the tendency to indict him before giving him an opportunity to prove his ability is certainly contrary to the American concept of fair play.

PAUL D. HAMMACHER.
Washington, Jan. 10.

The Post Impressionist

The Little Mimes

WE HEAR MUCH nowadays of puppet states and puppet kings and puppet emperors. With the dictators running rampant over the earth, the word takes on a sinister meaning quite apart from any mental picture of quaint little dolls doing tricks on a miniature stage. According to definition, a puppet is worked by the fingers and a marionette by strings or wires, but by common usage they are all puppets, subject to their masters' commands.

My first encounter with them came as the result of a Normal School assignment. Each embryonic teacher was required to create a puppet and, what is more, to be responsible for its conduct thereafter. It fell to my lot to make a golden-haired heroine suitable for any role from Cinderella to the Lily Maid of Astalot, and she came slowly into being amid the good offices and caustic comments of my family. My mother's embroidery floss was braided into long, glistening plaits to be sewed to pink silk jersey that covered the doll's skull, and my sister's best chiffon party handkerchief made a lovely and ethereal veil. My father brought home a book about the history of puppets.

There was a feeling of concerted triumph in the house when the little figure attained her strings, and she stood, sat, and nodded her head at my command. It was inspiring and very delightful to be the absolute mistress of something, even if it was an inanimate object.

I suppose my next venture along the same lines was a sort of inner protection, a mental armor, against 30 or so first-graders who were not always so subservient to my will. Carrying the family with me on the wave of my enthusiasm, we produced a pre-Disney version of Snow White.

The making of each doll was a labor of love, and even the neighbors contributed this and that scrap of lustrous silk or piece of wool for the tiny garments. As a writer will pounce upon every odd bit of conversation or unusual event for his story, we were perpetually on the lookout for materials that might prove of use to us. With puppets hanging by their strings from chairs, lamps and wall brackets, our home took on the general aspect of the scene of a wholesale medieval gibbeting.

As a character, Snow White was negligible. She was limp and pale and weary-looking. By lowering her strings, one could make her swoon most beautifully, so we wrote a lot of swooning into her lines. Her big moment came when she ate the apple (with her back to the audience) and dropped into a graceful heap upon the floor. The only time she ever embarrassed us was on the occasion when she came back to life prematurely and rose from her bier to stare at the mourners before sinking back into her customary collapse.

We made only two dwarfs, for we were a small family, and we found it necessary to impose upon our friends too much, as it was. These puppets had neither the blooming noses nor the ingratiating ways of Doc and his brothers, but they were earnest, hard-working little fellows. Had we named them after their most outstanding characteristic, both would have been known as Worried. Kind audiences overlooked their shortcomings out of pity; as one little girl remarked, "Poor little men, they walk sitting down."

But the Woodsman! Ah, there was a man for you. From the tip of his 14 inches to the soles of his leather boots, he was full of character and determination. A semicircle of henna wool crowned the back of his ruddy pate, and a read beard bashed from his chin. My father had offered a pair of bright green woolen socks (a Christmas gift) for his jerkin, and a tiny hunting knife was thrust into his belt.

Now the prime requirement for a puppet, speaking literally or figuratively, is a complete lack of spine. When the strings are not taut, he should be a limp bundle of wool and cloth. The Woodsman not only had an excellent spine, but the apparent will and ability to stiffen it. From the moment he was strung and attached to his controls he gave evidence of having a mind of his own.

During the rehearsals, he was anything but a success. We found almost immediately that there was no use trying to urge him to walk, so we propelled him across the stage in a series of flat-footed hops. In his audience with the Wicked Queen he absolutely refused to kneel, but we finally persuaded him to bow, which he did stiffly and with slight grace. In the woodland scene where he was supposed to do his worst by Snow White, we had to seat him on a log before the curtain rose, and let the dialogue carry the plot.

But in time, his very stubbornness earned him some degree of respect, not to say a grudging affection. And we were not entirely displeased when, quite of his own accord, he once stole the show by cordially booting the Queen upon making his exit.

Just a few days ago, someone brought the puppet box down from the attic. We found Snow White glamourless and faded, her nose worn off with much swooning; the Prince as unimportant as ever, only much more tattered. His handsome velvet doublet had disintegrated completely, leaving limp muslin shanks appallingly exposed. The dwarfs were all but crumpled into dust, and the Queen was much too forlorn to maintain her wicked reputation. But the Woodsman! He lay stiffly in his corner, as self-assertive as on the day he was put away, nearly a decade ago. No moth had dared to attack his woolen jerkin and his red beard bristled as fiercely as ever. Of all the troupe, the Woodsman alone was intact.

There should be a lesson in this somewhere. As the Duchess said to Alice, everything's got a moral if only you can find it.

HAZEL SCAIFE DETWILER.

Outstanding Commentators On Current Events At Home And Abroad

Fair Enough

By Westbrook Pegler

Mooney's Victory

THE COMMUNISTS will take the bows for Tom Mooney's liberation, but the real hero and winner is George Spelvin, the average American. Mr. Spelvin released a prisoner who frankly admires a rule which, in similar circumstances, would have shot Tom Mooney for the expression of his political beliefs. Mr. Spelvin thereby vindicated not Mooney but himself and American beliefs rather than the beliefs of Mooney's comrades. The average American acted to protect his own rights, and the pardon was a repulse not only for Mooney's own adherents and exploiters but the Nazi-Fascists, who think alike with them under different labels.

The long crusade to turn Mooney out of San Quentin and heal a sore on the American system was won by Americans who hate communism and whom Mooney's political comrades hate and revile. Indeed, to the communists, Mooney in prison, even in the privileged status which he enjoyed for years, was more valuable than Mooney himself. At the same time he was a reproach to all believers in the American system and an implied threat to their liberties. If the communists alone had made the fight he would still be in San Quentin, if not long dead by hanging.

BUT MOONEY, free, is still a radical in deep sympathy with Moscow and an admirer of Josef Stalin, and not a leader or spokesman of American labor. Fortunately for him, most Americans resented his imprisonment on the ground that it violated their beliefs, not his. They may resist any attempt on his part to assume that his pardon was an indorsement of his career before he went to prison or his political activities since.

Even while he was still in prison—with a key in his pocket, so to speak, out on parole at any time—Mooney expressed admiration for Stalin and, while demanding vindication and release with honor, defended the slaughter of the political opposition in Moscow. They were enemies of the state, said he, and so deserved any punishment the State chose to inflict for its protection. Trotsky, he said, had betrayed the revolution. Mooney had had the benefit of a form of trial, at least, farcical though it may have been, but the same idealist who condemned that farce adjudged Trotsky guilty without any trial and, consistently, would have sent him to the firing squad, the approximate fate of enemies of the state.

AND, FOR THE consideration of those who may be asked to accept his leadership on the ground of his love for his fellow men, it should be added that the pure idealist of San Quentin expressed contempt for his 5,000 fellow prisoners and sympathy only for himself and men who had been convicted of dynamiting the Los Angeles Times, including one who had confessed.

Now Mooney, at liberty, will turn altruist and busy himself to obtain a pardon for his partner in martyrdom, Warren Billings, who suffered as much or more during the long struggle but was seldom mentioned in the propaganda which made Mooney the star of the piece. He had little to say of Billings all this time, but came to regard himself as a world symbol. He spoke of himself in the third person, and his vanity enjoyed the fame which spread wherever communists made propaganda against the American system of government and the peace of the people.

BUT BILLINGS will not be freed by Tom Mooney, although Mooney will accept more applause for his release. Billings will be freed by the same force that finally repudiated the very method that would have killed both within a few hours in Russia.

Whether Mooney accepts the exhortation of California's Governor Olson to counsel the people against the "futile and inhuman chaos of bloodshed and revolution," his remarks soon will tell. It has been denied that either ever handled dynamite, although Billings once was convicted of that. But, on the subject of violence, there remains an interesting afterthought in Billings' defense against the murder charge. This non-violent martyr could not have been guilty of the bombing because at the very hour of the disaster Mr. Billings was far from the scene, engaged in the non-violent occupation of spraying automobiles with acid to ruin their paint work in the peaceful prosecution of an orderly little strike which was in progress at the time.

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Powell, Harvard Aide, To Talk on Law Trends

Thomas Reed Powell, Harvard professor, will discuss trends in Constitutional law at a meeting of the District chapter of the National Lawyers' Guild tonight at 8:15 in the North Interior Building.

Music Lecture Tonight

The Washington Layman's Music Course will begin its second series of this season's lectures tonight at 8:30 at Barker Hall. Miss Harriett Johnson, artistic director, will speak on "The Symphonic Poem," illustrating with recordings of "Till Eulenspeigel" by Richard Strauss.

New Faces In Congress

By Sotto

HE EARNED HIS FIRST DOLLAR GROWING TOBACCO ON HIS OWN LITTLE TOBACCO PATCH NEAR DOBSON N.C. HE WAS BORN THERE IN THE SUMMER OF 1888...
...REALIZED HIS BOYHOOD AMBITION A YEAR AGO WHEN HE WAS APPOINTED JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT OF NORTH CAROLINA. LATER WAS CHOSEN NATIONAL COMMITTEEMAN AND DIRECTOR OF FINANCE FOR THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE. POLITICS IS HIS HOBBY..
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Rep. A.D. FOLGER
DEMOCRAT
OF THE FIFTH DISTRICT, WAS GRADUATED FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL IN 1912 WITH A B.A. DEGREE; ATTORNEY AT LAW; TRUSTEE OF THE UNIV. OF N.C., 1932; ELECTED NATIONAL COMMITTEEMAN BY UNANIMOUS VOTE AT THE STATE CONVENTION, 1931. MARRIED MISS GERTRUDE REESE IN 1919. THEY HAVE TWO BOYS, ALONZO DILLARD, 15, AND JACK, 12.

Roosevelt's Reaction

By Mark Sullivan

Resents WPA Cut

THE DAY a sub-committee of Congress reduced a proposed WPA appropriation, President Roosevelt had a press conference. Someone asked if he had any comment to make on the reduction. Mr. Roosevelt—with a helpfulness he frequently practices toward the correspondents, in their interest and his—told how he would write the story. He would, he said, translate the reduction from dollars into human beings; he would find out just how many persons would have to be dropped from the WPA rolls.

Mr. Roosevelt went on to say, with dramatic emphasis, that he had to think in terms of human beings, in terms of men—and women—and children. It occurred to someone that maybe Mr. Roosevelt does not have a monopoly of the humanitarian way of thinking. He was asked whether Congress didn't think in terms of human beings, too. To that, Mr. Roosevelt replied that he was only discussing his own problem.

Mr. Roosevelt's reaction to the action in Congress was resentful. It is likely to stir up criticism against Congress. To tell newspapermen how to write the story in such a way as to make Congress seem heartless toward human beings—that is a rather provocative thing for a President to do to the legislative branch of Government. It seems to convey an unpleasant implication. Only the President, only the individual who is head of state, is humane and kind. The legislative branch of Government, the aggregate of 531 men acting as representatives, thinks merely in terms of dollars. History does not bear out that implication.

THE INCIDENT will not be lost on the Democratic leaders of Congress, who have been trying to have understanding with the President, trying to avoid party schism. It was the first important step taken in the session, and Mr. Roosevelt reacted in resentment and in incitement to public resentment.

On the same day as the reduction in the WPA appropriation, the Democratic leaders, in a spirit of getting along with the President, had brought about assurance of confirmation of his appointee to be Attorney General, former Gov. Frank Murphy of Michigan. They had brought about practically the same assurance as to the President's appointee to the Supreme Court, Mr. Felix Frankfurter. But if the spirit of appeasement reigned in Congress, it was not observable in the White House.

Possibly the President's pique was stirred by another action taken in connection with the WPA reduction. The sub-committee of Congress directed that none of the WPA appropriation should be paid to Government employes who are under civil service. This move was intended to prevent the President from putting the staff and employes of WPA under civil service. As to the President, this might merely offend his pride, as a limitation of his authority.

AS TO SOME other New Dealers, there is a different theory. To give the staff of WPA civil service status would tend to make the staff permanent, and make WPA a permanent feature of the Federal Government. Congress has got the notion that this is the wish of some New Dealers. Persons who observed closely the actions and utterances of the more radical New Dealers think they want WPA to be kept and to be enlarged in importance. Anyone who wishes to carry America into collectivism would see that one effective strategy is to increase constantly the number of persons dependent on Government to provide jobs in industry, and to decrease constantly the number dependent on privately owned industry. When the proportion employed by Government in industry reaches a certain point, collectivism would be here.

The cut in the proposed WPA appropriation, from $875,000,000 to $725,000,000, is about 17 per cent. Mr. Roosevelt gave the impression that the cut would take one form only, the form of dropping 17 per cent of the unemployed who are on the WPA rolls. But is that the only way to make the cut? Cannot the staff and the other overhead expense be reduced?

WPA IS A CURIOUS hybrid, part business, part alms. As business, any private business would get the same results with 50 per cent of the cost. As alms, any private benevolent organization, of the type of the Red Cross or some church benevolent organizations, would get the same amount of sustenance to the same number of needy at much less cost.

Congress knows that something must be done about WPA, something that will at once reduce its cost and prevent it from being a political machine. One suggestion is to put the administration of WPA, especially the local parts of it, into the hands of volunteer, unpaid committees who know the neighborhood conditions and people, and who have no political motives.

During the great war, the immense work of administering the selective service act was done by local, volunteer groups of citizens who received no pay and were under no suspicion of political motives. Determining who should go on WPA rolls and on relief work of other kinds should be no more difficult than determining who should be drafted into the Army, and who have exemption.

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House Bill Echoes Mail Bomb Case

By the Associated Press.

Virginia's famous mail bomb case of two years ago came before Congress yesterday in a proposal by Representative Satterfield (Democrat), Virginia, to pay a $2,000 reward to Mrs. Virginia A. Guthrie, postmistress of the South Richmond postoffice.

The Postoffice Department rejected her claim for a reward because Dr. H. R. Hege, arrested in the case, committed suicide in his jail cell while waiting hearing, and hence was not "convicted" as specified in the reward offer.

U. S. Weighs Cost Of Improving 7 Va. Airports

By the Associated Press.

The Civil Aeronautics Authority disclosed yesterday it had under study the cost of providing seven Virginia cities with airports having two 3,500-foot paved runways.

The results of the study will be reported to Congress February 1.

Virginia cities involved are Charlottesville, Danville, Lexington, Lynchburg, Norfolk, Richmond and Roanoke.

No facilities are listed at present for Charlottesville and Lexington. Present rating of the Lynchburg, Norfolk and Richmond airports is class 2, having two 2,500-foot paved runways. The Danville and Roanoke airports are rated class one, with lesser facilities.

Dr. East Gets Prize For Book on History

Dr. Robert A. East, of the National Archives, author of "Business Enterprise in the American Revolutionary Era," was awarded the John H. Dunning prize in American history yesterday in the midweek luncheon of officials of the Archives by Dr. Solon J. Buck, chief, treasurer of the American Historical Association.

The work contained 387 pages and won over a large field of competition.

Off the Record

By Ed Reed

"Why he's twice your age—You'd just be an old man's darling!"

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Silent Partner

By Barnet Nover

Germany And The Rome Meeting

TO WHAT EXTENT is Germany pledged to support the Italian demands on France

On this important point the reports are contradictory. Virginio Gayda, who frequently voices Mussolini's opinions on foreign affairs, insists that Germany and Italy stand steadfast together on all matters of international policy. By some correspondence this is elaborated to mean that the Berlin government has given Rome assurances of full support, even military support if necessary, should the latter come to blows with France. In contradiction, a spokesman for the German Embassy in Rome told an American correspondent that: "We haven't promised anything to anybody. It is pure invention."

THE LATTER statement is probably correct. It is very difficult to believe that if his demands regarding Tunisia, Djibouti, the Addis Ababa railway, the Suez Canal, belligerent rights for Franco, etc., are turned down, Mussolini will declare war on France. It is doubtful if Italy could wage such a war, let alone win it. Under the circumstances it would be an act of supererogation for Mussolini to ask or for Hitler to offer, military aid to Italy. Moreover, the Duce needs only to recall what happened in 1934, 1936 and 1938 to realize how little stock he can put in the Fuehrer's promises.

Short of military aid, however, Italy can expect and may receive very considerable assistance from Germany. The struggle for the ultimate control of the Mediterranean, of which the present Franco-Italian flareup is but the latest incident, does not directly concern the Third Reich. Hitler's ambitions are, for the moment, to the east and to the southeast. Nonetheless, the fact cannot be ignored that any development which tends to weaken Great Britain and France, in Europe or elsewhere, is in line with Nazi policy.

SINCE MUNICH, the British and French governments have been loath to make any effort to reconstitute the shattered balance of power in eastern Europe. Despite pro forma utterances by Foreign Minister Bonnet, it is clear that the Franco-Polish and the Franco-Russian alliances are now moribund. The support which the Daladier regime failed to give to Czecho-Slovakia it is most unlikely to give to either Poland or the Soviet Union, and with each passing month, as the German line of fortifications along the French border is built up, the difficulties in the way of extending such aid grow more formidable.

BUT TOMORROW is another day and the Nazi leaders cannot ignore the possibility of a marked change in the French and British attitudes. Nor can they afford, by withholding any support from him at this critical juncture, to help undermine the Mussolini regime.

There are indications both in London and Paris of a stiffening attitude. The French are determined to keep their colonial empire unimpaired. They are determined to stand fast in the face of Italian demands and, willy-nilly, Neville Chamberlain has been compelled to support their stand. And Chamberlain himself may not remain very much longer at the helm in Great Britain. He is an old, tired and baffled individual and he may decide, even if his present majority in the House of Commons is maintained, to turn over the reins to other and younger hands. Or, if he decides to stay on, he may shift his course.

THE POINT is that the Berlin-Rome axis continues to have its real usefulness for Germany as well as for Italy. Together the totalitarian powers are obviously much better able to use blackmailing tactics against the democratic powers than either could alone. This unity of method is very much greater than differences of aim.

This does not mean, however, that Germany would go so far as to support Italy in any war that nation might launch on France any more than there was any certainty that, had it come to blows last September, Italy would have been found on Germany's side. If his speeches before Munich are any indication, Mussolini was enormously perturbed by the possibility that there might be a violent climax to the Czecho-Slovak crisis. He was fearful of having to choose between a war-like course which would enormously have accelerated internal tensions in the kingdom or a neutrality that would have been ignominious. The relief manifested by the Italian people over the avoidance of war was probably no greater than his own.

So far as the immediate situation is concerned, Germany would clearly have little to gain from joining Italy in a conflict. The possible gains from rendering military assistance to Italy would be slight; the possible losses could prove considerable.

BUT IF IT is to the advantage of neither partner of the Berlin-Rome axis to wage war on behalf of the other, it is also true that it is still to their advantage to give the impression that they are prepared to do so, if necessary. Threats of united action by the totalitarian powers have paid dividends in the past; they may continue to pay dividends, in the form of concessions by the democratic powers, for a little while longer. In this respect the Berlin-Rome axis, which is not an alliance, has been a more potent international combination than the London-Paris axis which is.

Today And Tomorrow

By Walter Lippmann

The Doors of America

THE DECISIONS which the American people are about to make are known to be momentous and one of the best ways of preparing to make wise decisions is to study great examples of how American statesmen have in the past dealt with problems similar to our own. A very good example to study today, because it illustrates how a truly far-sighted statesman dealt with the underlying problem of defense and American security, can be found in Jefferson's dealings with Napoleon over the questions which led to the Louisiana Purchase.

It would be a good preparation for the coming debate on armaments if everyone who intends to take part in the debate would read carefully the letter which Jefferson wrote on April 18, 1802, to Robert R. Livingston, the American Minister to France. In reading it we must recall that when Jefferson was writing to Livingston, the French Revolution had burst through the frontiers of France and under the command of Napoleon Bonaparte was beginning to overrun the continent of Europe. Then we must recall that the mouth of the Mississippi at New Orleans and the great territory west of the river had been under Spanish sovereignty since 1769.

IN 1800 BY the secret Treaty of San Ildefonso, Spain ceded this great province to Napoleonic France, and a little later, in 1801, Jefferson found out about it. He then wrote his letter to Livingston saying that "the cession of Louisiana and the Floridas by Spain to France works most sorely on the United States . . . It completely reverses all the political relations of the United States and will form a new epoch in our political course." For, said Jefferson, though France is the country which "hitherto has offered the fewest points on which we could have any conflict of right" yet "there is on the globe one single spot, the possessor of which is our natural and habitual enemy." It is, said Jefferson, the Port of New Orleans because that is the door to a great part of the territory of the American people.

He then advised Livingston that New Orleans in Spanish hands was tolerable because Spain was weak and unaggressive. But New Orleans in the hands of Napoleonic France, with all "the impetuosity of her temper, the energy and restlessness of her character" would be "a point of eternal friction with us." Then, though he was pro-French and anti-British by sympathy, Jefferson went on to say that "the day France takes possession of New Orleans" we "must marry ourselves to the British fleet and nation," and, "having formed and connected together a power which renders reinforcements of her settlements here impossible to France," hold "the two continents of America in sequestration for the common purposes of the united British and American nations." But since such an alliance was "not a state of things we seek or desire," Jefferson moved to buy Louisiana in order to keep Napoleon out of New Orleans.

THE ILLUMINATING thing is the strength of Jefferson's conviction that "the door" to the American territory must not be allowed to fall into the hands of a strong and ambitious power. To prevent that he was prepared to go to any length. Jefferson's attitude exemplifies how a far-sighted statesman thought about the problem of American defense. The problem, as he understood it in 1802, is to see that the doors of America are never in the hands of strong and restless powers.

And that is still the problem. Whoever realizes clearly where are the doors of American security today will know what it is that the American Nation must inevitably be concerned about in conducting its foreign policy and in organizing its defense.

WE ARE today a gigantic island continent lying between two great oceans that wash the shores of Asia to the west of us and of Europe and Africa to the east of us. What goes on inside of Europe, Africa and Asia is not our primary concern, no matter what may be our sentiments, and must never determine our national policy any more than Jefferson's sentiments determined his policy. But what goes on in the oceans amidst which we are placed is necessarily a matter of great interest to us. For we are bound to find that our security is gravely impaired if strong and restless powers are ever able to reach out into these oceans. To be as safe as we have always been, to have an unchallenged security, we can afford to share the control of the two great oceans only with nations that have no longer the desire to expand their territory and their power.

AT THE PRESENT time, and for more than a century past, all the doors to these two oceans have been in our hands or in the hands of the British and the French. If one looks at the map, it is clear what are the strategic points which control the two oceans. They are Alaska, Hawaii and Singapore, Panama, the Falkland Islands, the Cape of Good Hope, the West Coast of Africa, the Portuguese Islands, Gibraltar, the land on the two sides of the Straits of Dover, and the islands in the passage north of Scotland. Strong and restless powers in Asia and Europe can operate in the two oceans only by passing through these strategic doors. As long as all these points are securely in our hands or in the hands of nations which have no further ambitions in this hemisphere, we have the same degree of security that we have always enjoyed.

The Japanese may conquer China, the Germans may conquer central Europe and southern Russia, but the defenses of the United States would still stand, and no power could attack us or intimidate us or extend its sovereignty in the American continents. But if some or all of the strategic entrances to the two oceans fall, then, as Jefferson said when Spain ceded New Orleans to Napoleon, it would "completely reverse all the political relations of the United States" and would "form a new epoch in our political course."

IT FOLLOWS then that insofar as it seems possible that the entrances to the oceans might fall into other hands, our choice is either to act to prevent this from happening or to let it happen, and then prepare to defend our security in the two oceans by the construction of a naval power capable of exercising supremacy in both oceans at the same time. That is our real choice.

At the present time we do not have the power to control the main highways to America across the two oceans. We share that control with Britain and France. We have the power to keep Japan in Asiatic waters. But if Great Britain and France fall before the menace which confronts them in Europe and are no longer able to hold the western coast of Europe and Africa at the Straits of Dover, in Portugal, at Gilbraltar, and down the African coast, then we shall find ourselves without the power to maintain our position in both oceans. We shall have become for the first time in our history insecure and vulnerable. And it is to prevent that situation from developing that we have now to make our decisions.

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Nanking Protests To Britain on Police

Shanghai, Jan. 11 (AP).—The foreign minister of the Chinese-manned Japanese-dominated reformed government of China at Nanking protested today against the British military authorities closing the Greater Shanghai municipal police station.

So far as known, this was the first formal protest to a third power by the Nanking government. Because third powers have not recognized the regime, it created a question of diplomatic procedure.

Mrs. Payton to Head N. W. Settlement House

Mrs. E. W. Payton was elected president of the Northwest Settlement House, a Community Chest unit, at its January meeting yesterday. Other officers elected were the Rev. A. F. Elmes, vice president; E. S. Jenkyns, secretary, and G. E. C. Hayes, treasurer.

Re-elected to the board were Judge Fay L. Bentley, Mrs. M. D. Butler, former Judge James A. Cobb, the Rev. Mr. Elmes, Mrs. I. A. Letcher, and Capt. Rhoda Milliken, of the police women's bureau.

Burke Speaks Tonight To Board of Trade

Senator Burke (Democrat), Nebraska, will address the Washington Board of Trade at its JJanuary meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at the Mayflower Hotel. Chairmen of the Senate and House District Committees will be guests.

Vocal selections will be offered by Henriette Bagger Plum, Danish mezzo-soprano.

Drama Course to Open

A course for speakers and dramatists will be launched Monday by Miss Rebecca Dial, daughter of former Senator Dial, of South Carolina. Miss Dial has written a number of plays.

The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips

Insurance At The Bank

(Under a new law of the State of New York banks are now selling life insurance. Each policy is limited to $1,000, but one man or woman may take out three such policies.—News item.)

Depositor—What's all this about the bank selling life insurance?

Banker—It's a fact, sir. Just another type of service. We may put in clinics, restaurants and music any day now.

Depositor—I thought a bank was just a place to save money. What's that got to do with life insurance?

Banker—It's a form of saving money. The only difference between us and an insurance company is that we don't solicit the business.

Depositor—No agents and no collectors!

Banker—None.

Depositor—That certainly has its advantages. But I still feel funny coming to a bank and talking about a policy on my life.

Banker—The bank feels even funnier.

Depositor—Well, I think I'll get insured. In front of what cage do I take off my shirt?

Banker—Banks don't ask you to take off your shirt.

Depositor—They took off mine in the 1930 panic. Don't kid me. You always have to take off your shirt before you can be passed for insurance. And who takes my blood pressure, the president or the cashier?

Banker—It's all done by a bank doctor.

Depositor—Imagine coming to a bank to see a doctor!

Banker—You imagine it; I'm sick of trying.

Depositor—How does it all work?

Banker—You just decide how much insurance you want and then deposit so much a week, if you pass the physical test.

Depositor—Are you telling me that a man has to pass a physical test to put money in a bank?

Banker—It's only fair to the bank. It's got to be sure you're in good shape.

Depositor—How about me having my doctor examine the bank to make sure what shape it is in?

Banker—There is one great advantage in having your life insurance here.

Depositor—What is it?

Banker—If you die your heirs will know the insurance money is already in the bank.

Depositor—It sounds pretty good. But there's one thing I want to know: will the bank ask me just as many questions before it insures me as a life insurance company does?

Banker—It will ask even more.

Depositor—That's impossible.

Banker—If you think so you haven't been questioned by a bank lately.

Songs For After Dinner.

Way down inside the large intestine,
Far, far away,
That's where the ice cream cones are resting,
That's where the eclairs stay.

From "The Sword in the Stone," by T. H. White.

All my gastric juices gather
Over mincemeat pies;
Way down among my aching innards,
That's where the hot bun lies.

"WANTED—Good, kind home for elderly coupe. Owner hates to part with dear old Nellie, but needs the money. She's had affectionate care for all these years so she's still peppy and good for years yet. Knows every stop from Deauville to Tropical Park. Hector's Service Station. Easy terms to a buyer who'll be good to the old girl."—Miami Herald.

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Senators Examine Hopkins; 'March of Dimes' Begins

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Emphatic
"I don't believe in sit-down strikes."

Dejected
"My record is an open book."

Perplexed
"I am the last man to quibble."

Optimistic
"I think besiness is going to get better."

Members of the Senate Commerce Committee (upper) sit around a table studded with microphones in a hearing to question Harry L. Hopkins, new Secretary of Commerce, whose appointment is up for confirmation. Left arrow points to Senator Vandenberg, who did most of the questioning, and right arrow indicates Hopkins. The Secretary is shown in candid views in lower strip.

Post Staff Photo.

'Yours Truly, Willie'

Members of the cast of "Yours Truly, Willie," a Macfarland Junior High School play which will be staged again tonight, are shown in a scene from the comedy. The cast includes (from left) Ralph Burks, Esther Wolin, Betty Ann Feissner and Donald Wolpe (on couch). Miss Mary Doyle, assisted by Miss Janet Frost, both of the faculty, is directing the play.

Post Staff Photo.

Launching Drive Against Infantile Paralysis

Post Staff Photo.

1. Women from 23 States gathered with Mrs. Roosevelt yesterday to mobilize for the "Fight Infantile Paralysis" campaign. Mrs. John H. Perry, of Palm Beach, pins a "March of Dimes" drive button on Mrs. Claude Pepper, wife of the Florida Senator. Others who visited . . .

Post Staff Photo.

2. . . . Mrs. Roosevelt in the interest of the campaign were (from left) Mrs. Mary F. Roberts, New York magazine editor; Mrs. L. A. Heidel, of Vermont, and Mrs. Mary B. M. Andrews, of Pennsylvania.

Device Measures Brain Waves

Mrs. Marjorie Gates, member of St. Elizabeths Hospital staff, demonstrates for Dr. Robert Cohn (at controls) the electro-encephalograph which he has been perfecting for three years. The device records electrical impulses of the brain.

Wide World Photo

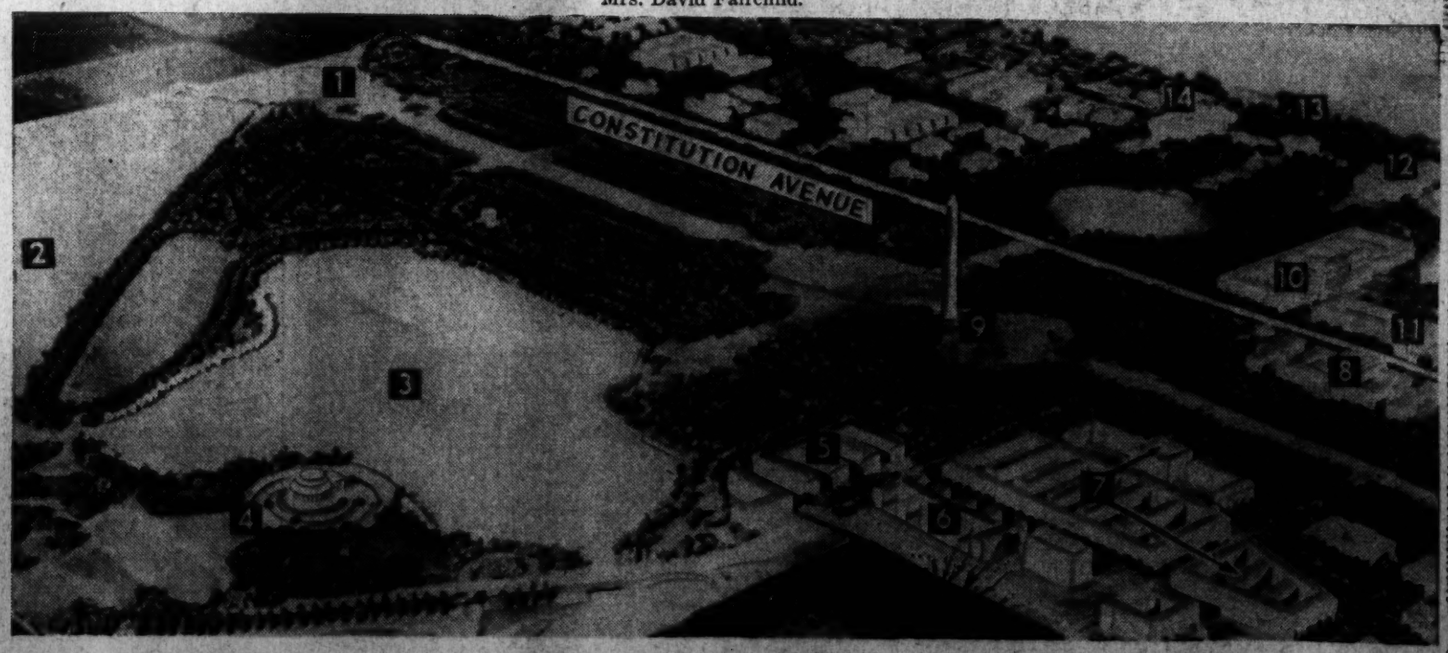
Grosvenor Niece Wed

At left—Nancy Bell Fairchild, granddaughter of Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, and niece of Dr. Gilbert Grosvenor, of the National Geographic Society, was wed yesterday at Miami to Dr. Marston Bates. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. David Fairchild.

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

Governor Helps End Strike

Gov. Saltonstall (left) receives greetings from Boston truck drivers after he had appealed for settlement of tie-up which threatened a food shortage. Shortly afterward the men voted to return to work, getting a raise in wages.



Park Service Shows How New Shrine Fits Into Capital Plan

This National Park Service model shows how the Jefferson Memorial (4) fits into development along the Mall. The white fringe of trees around the Tidal Basin (3) are the Japanese cherry trees. Other numbers indicate (1) Lincoln Memorial; (2) Potomac; (5) Bureau of of Engraving and Printing and (6) annex; (7) Department of Agriculture; (8) National Museum; (9) Washington Monument; (10) Commerce Department; (11) Labor Department; (12) Treasury Department; (13) White House; (14) State Department.

A Woman's New York

By Alice Hughes.

New York, Jan. 11.

BY NOW the 1939 "social" season — heading toward Lent, Brenda D. D. D. D. Frazier has come out to the tune of $35,000 and nearly out of her strapless evening gown.

ALICE HUGHES

Already the local crystal-gazers are betting on who will wear her crown of love and beauty next fall.

What is necessary to create these synthetic glamour girls who dominate the roto pages and society columns for their little hour whence they so often pass into obscurity? First, in these degenerate days when pictures tell every story, they must be photogenic. That is to say, they must look attractive in every one of the thousands of pictures in which they are snapped dunking doughnuts, drinking milk, and making polite goo-goo eyes at one of a thousand young stuffed shirts-about-town. Second, money is no hindrance to their brief careers as Number One Debs. Third, it goes without saying that they must not be adverse to publicity, and must lend themselves to every half-witted stunt the newspapermen can think up. And they think up plenty. Incidentally, Miss Frazier's mater, the English-born Mrs. Frederick Watriss, is reported to have loathed the wide publicity achieved by her baby doll, though it is not on record that she ever brained a photographer with his own camera.

The report that the Duchess of Windsor is pouting because the Duke may go home without her to visit his mother is given small credence by smarties here. They say that Wally is far too wise and well-balanced a woman to get hot under her pearl necklace merely because Edward may be forced to go home to visit a mother in precarious health . . . It is reported today that the one Follies girl I remember best, the too too British Blanche Satchell, is honeymooning already with William Yeager, of RFC, so soon after her divorce from a stock broker named Bamberger. Since her great days in the Follies, the beauteous Blanche has devoted herself to domestic life, and if one chapter fails, it would seem that she is ready and willing to turn the page and start another.

Among other things, this is a pretty petticoat season. The acrobatic dancing now in vogue reveals many a brightly colored pettiskirt beneath dark dance dresses. In fact, these gay taffetas have made such a hit that very soon they will appear in the form of nighties. Thus you will rustle off to bed rather than slip quietly in subtle silk.

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Your Figure

'Streamlined' Family Has Fewer Colds

Even Dispositions Are Better, Says Woman Ending Starchy Diet

By Ida Jean Kain.

IT TAKES only about two weeks to put the skids under most New Year's resolutions. But you're going to stay with your diet and exercise . . . "if it kills me!"

From experience, I am convinced that nothing makes you grit your teeth and go on reducing like hearing of some other woman who has finished what you are just starting and who is delighted with the results.

The mailbag these days is full of letters reporting such success, and the enthusiasm of these women who have reduced is so genuine that it is sure to be contagious.

Streamlining Her Family

Housewives particularly will enjoy this letter from a reducer who has made streamlining a family affair:

"My two stepsons and my husband have always been on the too plump side, mainly because of a starchy diet. Through your column suggestions (I checked with the family physicion as well), I am slowly, but surely streamlining my family. At the same time I find we have fewer colds, headaches, stomachaches and bad dispositions! Truly!

"As for my own figure—it had always been fairly good, but suddenly I discovered that, at 28 years old, my measurements were slipping. Here is what six weeks of mild exercise, with no reduction in weight, has done:

	Before.	After
Chest	37"	32½"
Bust	32½"	33½"
Waist	25½"	25"
Hips	35"	34½"

"I intend to keep on with the exercises whether they bring further results or not, because I feel so much better and because I think that if more women started to worry about their figures in the 20's, there would be less moaning and groaning in the 30's and 40's."

Down From 189 to 135

Here's another good letter! The writer is the mother of three children and she describes herself as "5 feet short," and admits that she is rather proud of her figure. She should be: Waist, 21¼"; bust, 28½"; hips, 33½": She says:

"I keep my weight around the 100 mark at all times. I have never dieted—just follow your general exercises. Best of all, I believe this program shows in my face for, although I'll soon be 29, I am very seldom taken for over 21! I still go roller skating with the family, and do the children love it! My husband has the exercise bug, too. About two years ago he was very ill with heart trouble and a complete nervous breakdown. Today he is completely well and his "corporation front" has disappeared. His belt line has gone down from 36 inches to 28—quite a change!"

There's just room for one more and it is from a courageous reducer who is bringing her weight down from 189 pounds. She began her program last February and very sensibly has taken her time, but now she has nearly reached the 135-pound goal and "there I want to stay the rest of my life."

21—DAY REDUCING DIET—
TENTH DAY
(To Lose 10 Pounds.)

	CALORIES
BREAKFAST	
Orange juice, ½ glass	50
Whole wheat toast, 2 slices	150
Butter, 1 sq., ¼" thick	50
Coffee, clear	
	250
LUNCHEON	
Sliced hard-cooked egg and olive salad—2 chopped olives, pimento, celery, green pepper, seasoning and Reducer's French Dressing	100
Roll	100
Butter, 1 sq., ¼" thick	50
Tea, 1 lump sugar	25
Melon or other fruit	50
	325
DINNER	
Lamb chops, broiled, 2 (trim of fat)	200
Peas, ½ cup	50
Sliced tomato	25
Sponge cake, 2" sector	135
Glass skim milk	80
	490
TOTAL FOR DAY	1,065

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Navy Sheer Heralds Spring

Photo by Du Pont Style News Service.

Horizontal bodice and bolero tuckings give optical interest to the vertically pleated skirt of the dapper town or business frock, above. Slimness about the hips is thus achieved, also breadth about the shoulders. A sextette of buttons marches up the bodice to meet the pristine round collar, as severe as a clerics. Quilted navy kid bag and white and fuschia sailor give a worldly accent to this precise little outfit of fine rayon sheer

The Gentler Sex

By Malvina Lindsay

If You Don't Dress

Your hostess said it would be informal, so you'll just run out from the office. It's such a nuisance to rush home and put on finery and war paint. Anyway, your black crepe is sort of dressy and you can wear your new turquoise beads and bracelet. Probably a lot of the girls will come that way—they did at the last party. Besides, you can always count on Harriet. Nothing but a White House reception would ever get her out of tweeds.

You wash, primp and anoint yourself in the office rest room and survey yourself approvingly in the mirror. Really you look a lot better than if you had on a lot of folderol.

The hostess greets you in a long black velvet gown, a gardenia on her shoulder. Well, she would have to wear a long dress, you think reassuringly as you follow her upstairs. In the bedroom two women are primping before the mirror, one in a silver lame dinner gown, the other in green satin brocade. They turn to greet you, their eyes traveling the length of your short skirt. You feel like a little brown hen beside two peafowls.

They trail gracefully down the stairs. You follow awkwardly behind. In the living room the rustle of silk, the glitter of rhinestones, the scent of perfume. Women in long lace dresses, long chiffon dresses. Earrings dangling, bracelets clinking. Men—many of them in tuxedos—are hovering about these glamorous creatures. You sink hurriedly into a chair, try to pull your dress further below your knees. You feel the questioning appraisal of feminine eyes, the disinterested glances of the men. If Harriet would only come—wait, you hear the hostess greeting her in the hall! A moment later she sails in majestically—in red chiffon with a sequin bolero.

All through the evening you seek the chairs in secluded corners trying to hide your legs and feet. Never have your shoes seemed so clumsy and enormous, never your legs so indecent. Never have you felt so unfeminine, so prosaic, so utterly drab. The men ignore you, the women are patronizingly kind, the hostess overly attentive. You become more and more self-conscious, more and more unhappy. Well, one thing certain, if you ever live to get out of the place you will never, never again—after 6 o'clock—go anywhere without a train and a rope of pearls.

If You Do Dress

The hostess was a little noncommittal, so maybe you'd better dash home and dress. It's a lot of trouble but then—well, you do owe your hostess a duty and besides you have never worn your new green chiffon with the gold girdle and slippers.

At home in a mad race with the clock you leap in and out of the bathtub, powder and comb and don your finery. In evening wrap and white kid gloves you make a breathless entry—a half hour late.

The hostess, in a long but severely cut print, leads the way upstairs. In her bedroom you see a disturbing array of hats, coats, short fur jackets. Oh well, at least Barbara will dress, you think consolingly to yourself. She wouldn't miss a chance to show herself . . . especially with men coming

You enter the living room, confront an array of legs and feet. Women in short dressy sheers, women in new winter prints, women in suits with fancy—and even tailored—blouses. Men casual and nonchalant in suits obviously worn from the office. You look about eagerly for Barbara. There she is! In a new shirtwaist print!

Feeling like a country belle, you slip into the nearest chair, draw your billows of chiffon closer about you. You feel the antagonistic appraisal of feminine eyes, sense the bold—or are they suspicious—glances of the men. You feel as naked as a freshly plucked hen. Well, you will be very circumspect all evening.

The hostess mercifully issues the invitation to the dining room. Six persons step on your floor-length skirt before you have made the rounds of the buffet table. Drafts seem to be playing about everywhere. Shivering, you go back in the living room, accept gratefully the invitation of some older women to bring your plate near the fireplace.

You hover near the fire all evening, your skirt tucked snugly about your feet. Fresh air fiends in long tight sleeves are opening the windows every few minutes. You smile strainedly at the women, are icily aloof to the men. If ever you live long enough to get out of the place you will never, never go anywhere—after 6 o'clock—without an advance Gallup poll of all guests' sartorial intentions.

Mary Haworth's Mail

Better Educated Girls Are Said to Disdain Skilled Mechanics as Suitors and Husbands; Why Is It?

DEAR MARY HAWORTH: I have come to the conclusion that you might be able to help me. This is the first time I have ever aired my troubles to anyone. Why do girls of this day think fellows following mechanical trades are inferior to those in white collar jobs? I am a young man 28 years of age. I finished high school not the dumbest in the class, and I have since worked in mechanical lines until now I am a specialized mechanic at a salary of $67 a week.

I have been dating a young woman of 25 for the past two years. At the same time, she has been keeping company with a Government clerk whose salary I know for a fact isn't over $1,440, and may be less. For some reason, I seem to lack prestige in her estimation, because of my title of mechanic, and she has even hinted that she wishes I would change to some other kind of work.

I try always to make a good appearance and am a gentleman at all times. I spend my money on her freely, yet why is it that, when there is a dance at some swanky hotel, she would rather go with a Government clerk than a mechanic? And I am not a poor dancer, either. I know she likes me, but seems to dread the idea of having her friends learn, after meeting me, that I am a mechanic.

Why can't I pick a wife from an excellent family and one interested in cultural things—as well as the white collar worker? I might add that this girl would marry me tomorrow if my job was that of Government clerk, lawyer, doctor or druggist, at the same salary. What is wrong with a mechanic? In all probability, I have far better opportunities for advancement than any of the above professionals.

MECHANIC.

Obsolete Social Yardstick

DEAR MECHANIC: Conceding the fact—which seems to allow of no disputing—that the majority of middle-class American young women do consider "fellows following mechanical trades as inferior to those in white collar jobs" (as you say), I am inclined to believe that this instinctive and unreasoning—and, indeed, regrettably indiscriminate—reaction has more than one root.

I think it stems partially from ages-old caste consciousness, which the Declaration of Independence and the subsequent Bill of Rights only theoretically eliminated from the supposedly socially democratic American scheme of things. And partially from a kind of intellectual snobbery, which developed with the development of the public school system, with its insistent stress upon the desirability and indispensible social value (in the limited as well as in the broader sense) of higher education leading to various sorts of academic degrees and honors.

And also, I think, it is an unreasoning carry-over from primitive times, when nearly all members of the manually or physically laboring classes formed a total company which could, with some accuracy, be called, "the great unwashed." Before the advent of modern plumbing, such accessories to consistent personal cleanliness as did exist were not available to the common man, and the man who worked with his hands and earned his bread by the sweat of his brow was casually accustomed to carrying about with him the aura of his strenuous endeavor. Hence, the very circumstances of his existence, plus the nature of his efforts to maintain that existence, rendered him persona non grata to the company of the dandified literate, leisurely and daily anointed.

However, it should scarcely be necessary to point out that polite society, or the "white collar worker," if you prefer, can no longer deny the manual laborer social acceptance on this ground. The laborer or mechanic or artisan of fastidious instincts can be—and is—as much of a dandy, as faultlessly groomed, at the beginning or end of his working day, as the college professor, the clubman playboy or captain of industry. And in this I know whereof I speak. Offhand and instantaneously, I can name a man among my acquaintances, a skilled artisan, profoundly and articulately responsive to classical music, whose deportment and appearance and fund of interests are in no wise dissimilar to those of the best type of so-called "professional" man. I assume this is no isolated instance or exception; that everyone who comes in contact with a representative cross-section of American life, and accepts and evaluates persons for what they are, concedes and can prove the fact that a man's vocation is no tin-can label of his social personality type.

To revert briefly to caste-consciousness and intellectual snobbery, it has been the case, until comparatively recent times, that the wife of a mechanic could not confidently count on being supported in the style, nor admitted into those formally schooled circles, which marriage to a professional man supposedly guaranteed. The mechanic's income as well as his social status was fixed at a rather lower level, in many instances, than that of the professional worker, whose opportunities for social and vocational advancement were presumably as limitless as his special abilities. Now, despite the fact that this situation no longer obtains—that it has been irrevocably replaced by a more liberal and enlightened order of things—the folk way of thinking which it begot continues to hang on for a while. Today, one is measuring by an obsolete social yardstick in ranking the white collar worker, as such, ahead of the skilled mechanic, as such. If anything, the latter probably has the greater realistic advantages, of an economic and occupational type, such as are calculated to bear fruit of a purely social kind.

So, with regard to your question—"What is wrong with (being) a mechanic?"—the only honest and indisputable answer is that, in a civilized society and from the civilized viewpoint, there is *nothing* wrong with *being* a mechanic. Which is not to say, of course, that there couldn't be a great deal—in fact, everything—wrong with a man who just happened to have elected the mechanic's trade. But so also could there be a great deal wrong about certain other persons who happened to have chosen other vocations. But the thing that is wrong is intrinsic to the man himself, and should not be imputed to the craft he claims.

You might better have asked, "What is wrong with my girl?" And the answer to that would have been—she is mentally limited and socially self-seeking: so lacking in perception and judgment that she cannot see beneath the surface label and evaluate the individual at his individual worth; and so unsure of herself that she feels she cannot afford to take a stand lest she prove unable, of herself, to maintain her position. She lacks social courage, spiritual honesty and the best sort of self-respect. This is proven by the fact that she keeps you dangling—on the one hand, because she likes you, and on the other hand, because she derives material satisfactions from your lavish spending—and yet shows the snob's white feather, when it comes to introducing you to her snobbish friends.

Miss Haworth will be glad to help you in solving your problems. Write her in care of The Post Woman's Page.

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Official 'At Homes' Reach New Peak

Swanson and Wallace Receptions Attract Big Throngs; Distinguished Women Assist at Both Functions

By Hope Ridings Miller
The Post Society Editor.

Two more official "at homes" were chalked off the 1939 calendar yesterday when Mrs. Claude A. Swanson, wife of the Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Henry A. Wallace, wife of the Secretary of Agriculture, entertained at mammoth receptions.

Around a thousand Washington hostesses, calling cards in hand, attended at least one of the parties, and many were on hand at both before the afternoon was over. "A crush—that's what I call it," said one prominent guest to another as they hailed a taxicab after leaving one reception, "Now let's go on and see what the other's like."

HOPE R. MILLER.

Probably, she found the other as much of a crush, for one seemed to be as big, as crowded, and as jammed as the other. In fact, I don't know when I've ever seen so many women making their appointed rounds; and there were a sizable number of men also on the calling list.

Trim sailors, standing at attention on the stairway, added a nautical note to Mrs. Swanson's "at home." Guests arriving early to avoid the crowd found a throng assembled shortly after 4 o'clock, and from then on, callers came in droves. With Capt. J. R. Beardall, naval aide to the Secretary of the Navy, making introductions when necessary, the hostess received her long line of guests at the door of the second-floor drawing room. She wore a handsome frock, fashioned with a skirt of black crepe, out on simple lines, and a blouse of cream lace, covered with a vari-colored lame jacket. A corsage of orchids on her left shoulder was a further accent for her pretty ensemble.

As usual at Mrs. Swanson's receptions, a number of distinguished women assisted her yesterday, greeting guests informally in the drawing room and then directing them on through the next room toward the dining room. There, it was a matter of waiting your turn until the crowd eddied and swirled to one side, or the other, long enough to allow still one more person to approach the tea table.

Mrs. Woodrow Wilson Assists in Receiving

Meanwhile, guests continued to arrive, completely filling the spacious drawing room. Standing with the hostess was Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, who wore a smart black frock with gold accents and a nexquisite necklace with a triple cameo effect at the front. As would be expected, many guests mentioned having read the first installments of Mrs. Wilson's book, "As I Saw It," appearing currently in a nationally known magazine.

"It took me ten years to write it," said the former First Lady in a brief bit of talk with one guest.

"And aren't you sroud of it?" Mrs. Wilson was asked.

"Not particularly," was the answer. And the line moved on.

Also greeting guests were Mrs. Charles Edison, wife of the Assistant Secretary of State, who wore a frock of royal blue crepe, set off with a silver fox jacket; Mrs. Edwin T. Meredith, in a handsome wine-colored frock, trimmed in gold to match her necklace; Mrs. Albert Niblack, Mrs. Jorge Boyd, Mrs. Edgar L. Wood and Mrs. Frank J. Fletcher—to mention only a few.

Among those I saw generally assisting were Mrs. Ollie James, Mrs. J. R. Beardall, who kept everything running smoothly in the dining room and who was lovely in a frock of wine crepe; Miss Maisie Howard, Miss Anna Maude Hallam, Miss Betty McBride and Miss Martha Conley. At the tea table when I stopped by were Mrs. Ralph William Close and Mrs. Adolphus Andrews. Others pouring during the afternoon were Senora de los Rios, Mrs. Harry Woodring, Mrs. Daniel C. Roper, Miss Josephine Patten, Mrs. Randolph Miner and Miss Janet Richards.

The carved, oval table was laden with teatime dainties and lighted with tall white tapers flanking a huge bowl of red roses. Crowded around it were scores of official and social notables, with a generous sprinkling of diplomats and residentials adding their own brand of luster to the company.

Wallace 'at Home' Also Big Event

Over in the Wallace apartment at the Wardman Park Hotel, an equally large and distinguished throng called, left cards and lingered to enjoy the party. Receiving at one end of the drawing room, Mrs. Wallace was gowned in black velvet with a four-strand pearl necklace circling her throat. Standing with her was Mrs. M. L. Wilson, wife of the Undersecretary of Agriculture, who wore a tailored black frock, set off with a small matching hat.

Cut flowers—roses, carnations and gladioli—were arranged in bowls throughout the apartment, and a vase filled with mixed spring blossoms centered the long table in the dining room, where tea was served.

Mrs. Stanley Reed, whose black dress was set off with a smart black hat, trimmed in dusty pink, and Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, in a black ensemble, were presiding at the tea table when I dropped in. Mrs. James Lawrence Houghteling and Mrs. William E. Borah had finished assisting and were mingling with the crowd, and Mrs. Harlan Miller and Mrs. Robert H. Jackson were just leaving.

Leaves for Vacation in the South

Hessler Studio.

Baroness de Gruben, who with her husband, Baron Herve de Gruben, Counselor of the Belgian Embassy, has left for a cruise to the West Indies. They are stopping off at several Southern resorts en route and will return to Washington in about two weeks

About The Town

With Dudley Harmon

THOUGH they're not going in for politics, Mrs. Hugh D. Auchincloss and Mrs. David Barry have signed up for a course in public speaking. They decided they were tired of freezing up when called upon at an occasional dinner to say something.

DUDLEY HARMON

Their teacher is Mrs. Hugh Butler, who conducted a class in public speaking for Congressmen's wives with such success that they carried whole counties when they turned on the results of their lessons for the benefit of their husband's campaigns.

CHARLES DARLINGTON is about to abandon the dignified atmosphere of the State Department for the hurly-burly of big business. For a number of years in the trade agreements section, of the department, he will leave February 1 for New York to join a well-known company. This is sad news for the many friends of the Darlingtons.

Both were among the guests yesterday at a small and pleasant cocktail party given by a couple in the diplomatic corps. Mrs. Darlington wore a brown suit, fur trimmed, and a hat which created quite a sensation -brown with a long scarf of red chiffon floating from the brim.

Among the other guests at the party were Mrs. Pettinos Blow, who was speaking perfect Italian with Signora de Cosmelli, wife of the Counselor of the Italian Embassy; Miss Helen Davis, Herr and Frau Blankenhorn of the German Embassy, Mrs. Frederick Livesey, Mr. and Mrs. John Franklin Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Agle, the former Dorothy Cassard in a very becoming hat, beige suede with a spray of coq feathers, and the Attache of the British Embassy and Mrs. Harold Sims, the latter in a very smart green coat trimmed down the front with bands of red fox, and a small green hat to match.

THE RETURN of Congress has added, among other things, a new flavor to Capital cocktail parties. The small one given yesterday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Pavenstedt was a pleasant mixture of New Dealers and Republicans, with some Navy and just plain residents thrown in.

The hostess leaves tomorrow for several weeks in Tucson, Ariz. Her daughter, Constance Child, had transferred from Radcliffe to the University of Arizona, and her mother is going out to see that she gets properly settled. Mrs. Pavenstedt, who is well-known as a writer under the name, Maude Parker, wore yesterday a wine-colored dress trimmed with gold embroidery at the neck.

Mrs. Arthur Vandenberg was there without the Senator, who was still busy on the Hill, having spent almost the entire day firing questions at Harry Hopkins. Mrs. Bruce Barton sat on a sofa and chatted with Mrs. Demarest Lloyd, who wore a sable jacket over her black frock. Representative Bruce Barton and their daughter, Miss Betsy Barton, were also present.

Ganson Pe arsall of the Securities and Exchange Commission; Mrs. Pearsall, Maxine Davis, the writer, in a black frock with a green velvet bow on her hat; Sherlock Davis and Murray Hansen were other present.

Everybody was saying goodbye to Commander John Magruder, who leaves on Saturday for the West Coast and from there goes to China to take command of the Augusta. Mrs. Magruder will remain behind for a time. Capt. and Mrs. Robert Munroe were other guests from the Navy. yesterday.

Mr. Pavenstedt will now temporarily join the ranks of Washington's "extra men," as he will remain behind while Mrs. Pavenstedt is in Tucson.

ODDS AND ENDS: Noel Coward delighted the last guests who lingered on at the Victor Mallet's party the other night by singing and playing several of the best songs from his new show—as well as the all-time favorite, "Mad Dogs and Englishmen" . . . While on the subject of things British, the repairs now going on at the embassy concern the ceilings, which it seems were in imminent danger of falling down. . . . Mr. and Mrs. William Jennings Bryan, jr., are at the Lafayette Hotel for an indefinite stay.

Japanese Envoy Attends Fete Given For the Terasakis

The Ambassador of Japan, Kensuke Horinouchi, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Pollio for cocktails yesterday at the Mayflower. Other guests included the former Charge d'Affaires of Japan at Havana, Hidenari Terasaki and Mrs. Terasaki, who are visiting the Pollios at the Mayflower.

Mr. and Mrs. Terasaki will leave tomorrow for San Francisco en route to Japan where he has been assigned to duty in the foreign office in Tokyo. Prior to his departure from Cuba, Mr. Terasaki was decorated by President Federico Laredo Bru, of Cuba, with the National Order of Merit, Carolos Manuel de Cespedes, grade of commander.

Robinson's Widow Visiting in Capital

Mrs. Joseph T. Robinson, widow of Senator Robinson, of Arkansas, is staying at the Mayflower for a few days. She will leave Saturday for her home in Little Rock, where she is now acting postmaster.

After attending the dinner given by President and Mrs. Roosevelt on Tuesday evening, she was an overnight guest at the White House. Mrs. Robinson's brother, Charles G. Miller, is here with her from Arkansas.

Lucets Hosts At Farewell For Diplomats

Prince del Drago and Armand Berard Leaving For Europe

Honoring Prince Marcelle del Drago, of the Italian Embassy, and Armand Berard, second secretary of the French Embassy, Secretary Charles Lucet and Mme. Lucet, of the French Embassy, entertained at a buffet supper last evening at their home in Cleveland Park.

Guests were the naval attache of the French Embassy, Commander Pierre Benech and Mme. Benech; the first secretary of the French Embassy, Jacques Dumaine; the first secretary of the Belgian Embassy, Jacques de Thier; the Secretary of the German Embassy and Frau Herbert Blankenhorn; secretary of the Italian Embassy, Marquis Capomazza; Senora de Huneeus, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Carusi, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hinton; Miss Agnes Magruder, Miss Dolly Corbin, Mrs. Peggy Dugdale and Miss Betty Hardy.

After the supper a number of other guests were invited for the dancing which followed. Prince del Drago left Washington last night on the midnight train for New York and will sail from there on Saturday on the liner Rex for Rome. M. Berard, who leaves Washington today, will also sail Saturday from New York, but on the liner Paris for France. Last evening's event, therefore, was a final farewell party for them both.

W. C. T. U. Units To Celebrate In Arlington

Two of the Women's Christian Temperance Unions in Arlington County will celebrate anniversaries today. They are the Clarendon Union, which is eight years old, and the Merrill Union, which is seven.

The Clarendon Union will have a birthday luncheon at 12:30 in the Clarendon M. E. Church, with Miss Marion Lees Merrill, of Arlington, state director of the flower relief mission, as speaker. There will also be a review of the history of the union by five past presidents, Mrs. Isabel Hunter, Mrs. Jessie Lasswell, Mrs. Frances M. Mabry, Mrs. George A. Hamilton and Mrs. Ruth Burke, who is now president.

The music will be a group of solos by Mrs. Amy Albia Bustin, accompanied by Mrs. D. R. Sheppard.

The Merrill Union, which will celebrate tonight with a meeting at the home of Miss Marion Lees Merrill, 4701 Twenty-second street North, is named for her sister, Miss Gertrude Merrill, who is a missionary in Southern Rhodesia, Africa. There will be a surprise program and the guest of honor is to be Mrs. Amy Weech, Virginia State president of the W. C. T. U.

Morgenthaus Expected Back From South Soon

The Secretary of the Treasury and Mrs. Henry Morgenthau are expected to return the first of the week from a vacation in Florida.

Mrs. Morgenthau will be "at home" on Wednesday from 4:30 to 6:30 at her residence on Thirtieth street.

Mrs. William H. Pouch Is Guest at C. A. R. Tea

Event Held at Home of Mrs. Donald Earll; Some Present See Selves in Motion Picture Of National Convention Last Spring

By Jessie Ash Arndt,
The Post Club Editor.

Mrs. William H. Pouch, of New York, national president of the Children of the American Revolution, was guest of honor yesterday afternoon at a tea given by the Lieut. Col. John Shaw Society, at the home of Mrs. Donald M. Earll. Letitia Earll, a member, assisted her mother as hostess.

In the receiving line were Mrs. William E. Forbes, senior president of the society; Mrs. Pouch, Mrs. James Henry Harper, state president of the District C. A. R.; Rosalyn Buchanan, junior president of the Lieut. John Shaw Society; Jenifer Williams, junior vice president of the society; Mrs. John Morrison Kerr, national organizing secretary; Mrs. Charles Corrall Haig, national chaplain; Mrs. Lee R. Pennington, national historian, and Mrs. Ryland C. Bryant, national registrar.

Mothers Accompany C. A. R. Members

The children were presented to the receiving line with their mothers. The program was a motion picture of the national C. A. R. convention last spring, shown in the recreation room. Some of the children and all of the national officers who were present saw themselves in the movie.

The tea table in the dining room was decorated in buff and blue, carrying out the Continental colors. The center bouquet was of yellow daisies and ageartum and the candles were blue. Those assisting at the table were Mrs. Elwood A. Cobey, Mrs. John Crittenden, Mrs. J. Wesley Buchanan, and Mrs. E. L. Myers.

Two Descendants Of Constitution Signres

This was the first occasion on which the Lieut. Col. John Shaw Society has entertained the national president. After an introduction by Mrs. Forbes, Mrs. Pouch made a short talk and presented two of the members with official certificates from the Sesquicentennial Commission. They were given to Jenifer and Ann Winter, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Williams, whose ancestor, George Reed, of Delaware, was one of the signers of the Constitution.

The Lieut. Col. John Shaw Society, with 50 members is one of the largest among the 17 in the District. The ages of the boys and girls range from 3 to 20 years.

The children present included Margaret Joyce Forbes, Mary Louise Forbes, Margaret Leith, Bettie Blake Coby, Margaret Coby, Gail Ross, Virginia Wagner, Mary Myers, Lola Moynela, Betsy Graham, Mary Katherine Willis, Meredith Huntingdon, Jane Hart, Dorothy Ann Yockey, Claire Exley, Ann, Betty and Jane Fadeley, Ann Winter Williams, An, Wilma and Allison Paulette, Bettigene Pagter, Phyllis Freseman, Alice Parsons, Virginia Stickle, Jean Wyckliff, Mary Ella Hopkins, Harold Lincoln, Jerry Lee, Huston and Jimmy Leith, Cole and Richard Stratton, Eldridge Myers, Charles Forbes, Bob Fulton, Teddy and Richard Hornaday and Sedgwick Lee Moss.

Sodality Sponsors Lecture

The Sodality Union Literary Club will sponsor the third lecture of its season tonight when the Rev. William Harding, C. P., of St. Joseph's Monastery, in Baltimore, will speak at Notre Dame Hall at 8:30. His subject will be "Observations in Europe." There is no charge for admission and the lecture is open to the public.

LaGorces Are Hosts At a Final Dinner Before Leaving D. C.

Dr. and Mrs. John Oliver LaGorce, who will leave on Saturday for their winter home at Miami Beach, entertained at a small dinner last night. Their guests were Senator and Mrs. Arthur H. Vandenberg, Representative and Mrs. Bruce Barton and Edward J. Noble, chairman of the Civil Aeronautics Authority, and Mrs. Noble.

Tonight Dr. and Mrs. LaGorce will be feted at a dinner to be given by Dr. and Mrs. William A. Morgan, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Essary will entertain for them tomorrow evening.

Miss Muriel Corby Wed in Belgrade

News has been received from Belgrade, Yugoslavia, of the marriage there January 2 of Miss Muriel Eleanor Corby, daughter of Mrs. William S. Corby, of Chevy Chase, to Frederick Granville Dudley-Ryder, of London.

The bride and her mother have been visiting the former Miss Justine Corby, now Mme. Ivan Franges, and her husband, an official in the Yugoslav foreign office. They expect to return to Chevy Chase in the spring for a visit.

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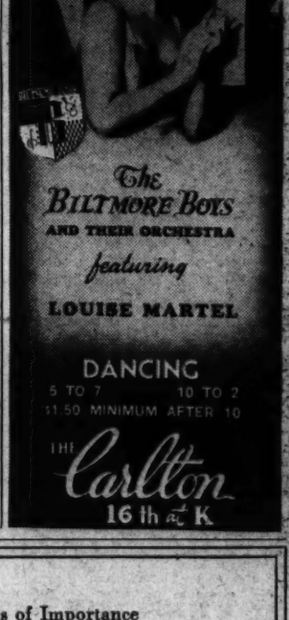

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Text of O'Conor's Inaugural Speech; Tax Revisions Called Necessary

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 11 (AP).—The text of Gov. O'Conor's inaugural address follows:

In the presence of members of the General Assembly, of the judiciary, of State officials, and of such a number of fellow-citizens, it is my pleasure to make known to you at this time, plainly and sincerely, the thoughts, intentions, and aspirations that occupy my mind and heart today as I become the Governor of Maryland. My gratitude to the people who have given me this mandate is both deep and abiding. I am determined to live up to their expectations.

Under the prevailing system of government, our elected officials are chosen by parties but, once chosen, they become servants of all the people. Accordingly, at the very outset I wish to make it clear that I consider myself the Governor of all the people of the State and that, with the election a thing of the past, I will be guided by what I conceive to be best for Maryland and not by partisan or political considerations. In return, it is my hope to receive co-operation, counsel, and assistance from all interests that place the welfare of the State uppermost. And so, I address myself to all the people of the State, whose future, so far as that future is affected by the State government, is entrusted to our hands.

Wipe Slate; Start Afresh

In this, to me a most solemn hour, I have no inclination to look backward but only to look ahead. I do not intend to criticize or to condemn those who have been in charge of the State's affairs. Instead of occupying your time with a discussion of what could, or should not, have been done, it is my judgment that it is more useful to invite your attention to, and seek your consideration and support of, what might be done henceforth. We go on from here. We wipe the slate clean and start afresh, planning and working for the future, for the betterment of Maryland.

It is not to be understood from these statements that I am unmindful of the party to which I owe allegiance. I am aware of the principles and the purposes of our great party; aware especially of the possibilities that arise through the co-operation of the public-spirited men and women who compose the Democratic Party. I refer to this fact because it is upon the Democratic Party in Maryland, and upon those chosen by it, that now rests the primary responsibility for the conduct of State affairs. Continued confidence in our party will be maintained only if that party measures up to its obligations and gives its best to our people.

It is natural that this should be so. Maryland is normally a Democratic State. Its people are imbued by tradition and inclination with the ideals of the party as set forth by statesmen, by patriots, and by officials who were proud to be members of the Democratic Party. It is only when untoward conditions prevail, when the party fails to measure up to its obligations, when party leaders have become arrogant or blinded by power, or when internal dissension has broken out that an aroused electorate repudiates the dominant party of our State. When, as a party, we live up to our obligations to the people, and realize that that obligation is paramount, and when we are united in good work, the Democracy of Maryland is invincible. Therefore, I hope not only for an harmonious official family in which past differences among its members are forgotten but for an entire party working in accord.

Pledges No Political Machine

For my part I shall do my best to bring about such a situation. No one need fear an attempt by me to build a personal organization or a political machine. I am now free and shall remain free to avail myself of the full potentialities of the whole party for the betterment of our State.

Our beloved State, though it may seem small in territory and population in comparison with others, has no peer with respect to sound cultural and political traditions. The qualities of independence, self-determination, toleration, and justice to all, with the maximum of individual liberty consistent with the good of the whole, are still regarded as the best part of the heritage bequeathed to us by our fathers. They justly entitle us to be known widely and favorably as the "Free State," and are memorialized in the martial song, "Maryland, My Maryland," by James Ryder Randall, the centennial of whose birth we observe this year. I wish here, and now, to reaffirm my allegiance to these basic qualities and to pledge my administration to their strengthening.

The only ambition I have is to be the very best Governor that it is within my capacity to be. To this achievement I shall devote my whole time, my thoughts, and my energies. I shall let nothing interfere. Only in this way can I best serve my State and my party.

Sees Many Problems

I cannot escape the realization that, at the conclusion of my service as Governor, I shall be called upon to give an account of my stewardship—a day when my administration, its last accomplishment recorded, will take its place in the history of our State. It is my hope and wish to be the kind of Governor that will give the State of Maryland a wholly creditable administration and that, when I relinquish the office, Maryland may be in such high estate financially, culturally and economically that I may step down with the satisfaction of knowing that, from the standpoint of social welfare, I have contributed something definitely worth while to the great State whose people today honor me so signally.

The problems before us are many. Although different in character, they are as crucial as those that faced Maryland when our Nation entered the World War. Their solution will require sacrifice as well as courage and fortitude. Upon the soundness of their solution rests the future welfare of the State and its people. I do not propose at this time to discuss these problems in detail. It is sufficient to outline the general ideas that must guide us as we assume our joint tasks.

We must realize that besides looking forward to the betterment of conditions, we must devise new ways and means and apply them promptly and effectively, in order to insure the immediate betterment that we all desire so earnestly. We must adjust our tax structure that, while it will raise the necessary revenue, it will not tend to disrupt the business life and weaken the economic structure, but rather will tend to encourage and stabilize them. While we are engaged in this common enterprise, we must not forget that these next four years, important as they now seem to us, are but steps in the long life of our State. One cardinal principle must guide us—namely, that in solving our problems for today we must also build for tomorrow. Our solutions must be well-reasoned and carefully considered, that those who come after us are benefited rather than penalized by our work.

Advisers in Both Parties

Since my election I have approached the handling of these problems in a way that I felt would lead to their proper solution I have sought and obtained the active assistance of public-spirited citizens of both parties. Able, informed, and experienced persons acceded to my request that they analyze and report upon the outstanding problems of our State. No consideration of partisanship or of politics dictated their selection or influenced their deliberations. Such a standard will be the guiding and determining one as we meet succeeding situations.

The most important problem facing the administration is that of placing the State's finances on a sound and enduring foundation. We must not live on borrowed money. We do not have the right to mortgage the future of our State unduly to meet present needs. We must provide adequate revenues for the proper discharge of the State's obligations and to supply the needed services. But, before we impose further upon the taxpayers, it is imperative that we exhaust every legitimate effort to avoid waste and extravagance in the State government. I am firmly convinced that substantial reductions in existing governmental cost can be made without impairing essential functions. This will mean the paring down of our departmental estimates, the elimination of nonessential expenditures, and the foregoing of governmental luxuries. We must get down to necessities.

Even with every possible economy, we shall have to raise additional revenue; this money should not be borrowed, but should be raised by taxation. There is no easy remedy, no palliative that is safe for the State and its people. We must balance our budget and maintain our credit. Failure to do so can lead only to disaster. Months ago, in asking for the support of the voting public, I declared that there was no way out of the situation except through additional taxation. The returns of the election can be accepted as an approval of this policy and as an indication that the people understand the situation and are willing to assume the necessary burdens to the end that their State's financial house may be put in order.

Gas Taxes for Good Roads

The discussion of reasons for our present financial situation brings to mind another question. It is whether revenues raised through gasoline levies ought to be diverted to uses other than highway construction or maintenance. I took the position that the spirit, if not the letter, of the laws imposing this taxation required that this money be spent on the roads. I am still of this belief. Not only is this fair dealing with the taxpaying public, but it is a necessary policy if Maryland is to regain its former position as a State with good roads.

The condition of our roads in comparison with those of other States should spur us on to greater effort. I have in mind conditions existing on the Eastern Shore, in Southern Maryland, as well as in certain sections of Western Maryland, which illustrate this need. Thus it will be seen that while additional burdens may be inevitable, there will be compensating advantages, which, it is hoped, will bring to the people of Maryland conveniences, comforts and material benefits justifying the expenditures.

These references bring to mind the part which politics can or should play in certain agencies of the government. As a party man, I adhere to the belief that the best politics to play sometimes is no politics at all. As illustration of what I mean, let us refer specifically to but two State departments, conservation and roads. In these two highly important agencies of government unlimited opportunities are open to our State. In the field of conservation, perplexing questions press forward concerning vital interests of every section of the State. They relate to the priceless possessions which Maryland enjoys in greater degree, possibly, than any other State in the Union. They affect the lives and livelihoods of citizens in the Tidewater counties; of persons interested in inland fisheries and upland game; they relate to matters involving forestry and much-needed parks and recreational areas.

Such far-reaching questions, deeply affecting the welfare of the State, ought not to be hampered by political considerations.

To Encourage County Roads

In the matter of good roads, with the safety, the material benefits, the business, and the comfort of our people interlocked with their construction, it is not only proper but it is imperative that petty political considerations do not frustrate the completion of an enlightened and well-considered program.

The funds dedicated to State roads will be used for work that can be done at a fair cost, by contract, and will be done by contracts let in rigid observance of the law relating to competitive bidding; no work will be done by force account, if it can be avoided. And, among other things, I shall ask the General Assembly to permit those counties that so desire to take back the maintenance of their own county roads, and to make provision for an equitable apportionment of the gasoline tax revenues assigned to lateral roads to such counties that take over their own roads for maintenance and construction.

These two typical examples, conservation and roads, prove the case for avoidance of politics where politics might jeopardize the proper advancement of State interests. Believing that our party's interests are served only when we earn the gratitude of the general public, I pledge myself to avoid the injection of political considerations in the conduct of State affairs, as illustrated by these two noteworthy examples.

Urges a Budget Bureau

Along with the problem of cutting down expenses, and so reducing to a minimum the amounts that must be raised by new or increased taxes, is that of strengthening the operation of the budget amendment in order to provide for those procedural and administrative matters suggested by that amendment itself. Laws should be enacted specifically to provide for the form in which budgetary details are presented to the General Assembly, the control of budgetary changes, limitations upon contingent or cushion funds, and other matters essential to the efficient operation of the system and to the effective supervision of the budget by both the Governor and the General Assembly.

The law puts upon the Governor the duty and the responsibility of submitting the budget to the appropriating body. At the very outset the incoming Governor is faced with this major problem at a time when other matters of importance must also be considered. I trust that the Legislature, in considering the changes I have outlined, and which are pledged by our party, will also consider the advisability of creating a budget bureau to assist the Governor in this work. Such a bureau, staffed with trained personnel, ought to be a continuing one and not only assist in the preparation of the budget for submission to the Legislature, but keep in touch with the various State departments and agencies.

Familiarizing itself with their needs and also checking on their expenditures, such a bureau would systematize the whole budget plan and tend to make it more efficient and orderly.

Courts Must Be Free

I should now like to make known my views with respect to the judiciary. No single fact has been impressed upon me more forcibly than the necessity of having the judiciary function without outside interference. I am sure that we agree that a State is fortunate whose courts are administered by high-minded judges, incorruptible, learned, and experienced. My policy shall be always to assist in securing the very best judges and in having them function unhampered and uninfluenced in the discharge of their important duties.

Maryland is justly proud of its higher courts and the illustrious line of judges who have brought distinction and honor to Maryland. It seems timely, however, to point out that methods might be devised to avoid the possibility of future election of judges being thrown into political contests. The administration will support well considered plans to prevent such an occurrence.

While we all refer with pride to the functioning of our higher courts, frankness and candor require the statement that criticism and adverse comment concerning the minor courts have been justifiable. It serves no useful purpose to attempt here to prove shortcomings by referring to specific cases. What is more in point is the need for the improvement of the system under which the justices of the peace must operate.

Fee System Is Archaic

The fee system by which justices of the peace are compensated has brought about many abuses and a sort of degeneration. As a result there have been many cases of what might be termed "justice at a price."

To remedy fully the evils of this system requires an amendment to the constitution, which I shall ask the General Assembly to submit to the people. The system as it stands was written into our constitution decades ago. Whatever its merits in the old days, the system has outlived its usefulness and become archaic. The sooner we get rid of it the better.

For the justices of the peace in the counties I should substitute one or more central courts in each county for the trial of such criminal and civil cases as now go before the magistrates. Judges of such courts should be compensated on a salary basis, and the fee system abolished. Their accounts should be audited, and in each county there should be clerks to keep the dockets and to transmit the fines and forfeitures to the State treasury.

In Baltimore City also the magistrate system should be changed, and the People's Court reformed along the lines recommended by the Bar Association of Baltimore City. I shall have introduced as promptly as possible a bill to put into effect these desirable changes that do not require an amendment to the constitution. In the meantime I shall appoint as justices of the peace only those persons known to be qualified by education, character and temperament, and who will regard their office primarily as one of importance and dignity and not as one giving opportunity to profit by the misfortunes or their fellow men and women. The selection of these officials I shall regard as one of my most important duties.

Legislative Council Needed

Another matter which I feel is of great importance is the establishment of a legislative council. This also was a subject of discussion in the campaign. Such a council should be composed principally of members of the General Assembly, including the President of the Senate, the Speaker of the House, the majority and minority floor leaders in each house, and several members of each house representing both parties. This body should hold meetings periodically during recess of the Legislature for the purpose of agreeing upon, sponsoring, and preparing a program of legislation to be submitted to the Legislature, and of recommending such revisions of the Senate and House rules as appear to be desirable.

This council should have a research director with an adequate staff to advise the council upon such major legislative proposals or suggestions as the council may agree upon. Its whole purpose would be to improve the deliberative functioning of the Legislature and to make possible the study of legislative matters by a group of responsible leaders before the Legislature assembles. It would give the Legislature a greater voice in the policies of the State government—it would remove many conflicts of interest as well as much confusion and indecision, such as are now inevitable under present conditions. It would enable calm and considered public discussions of proposed laws and give public opinion an opportunity to develop and crystallize. As a result the Legislature would assume the lead in legislative matters and function with a maximum of deliberative efficiency. I am convinced that the adoption of a statute creating such a council is the best way to improve the quality of legislation and to maintain legislative participation and authority.

Labor and Captial Interdependent

Happily, Maryland has had little strife between labor and capital, that has marked industrial centers in other States, and substantially none of the bitterness. I think this is because all of us realize that labor and capital are interdependent, that each, without the other, is helpless, and that what hurts one necessarily hurts the other. There ought to be no antagonism between them, but rather co-operation. Unless the employer prospers, he cannot give steady employment at fair wages, so that the best guarantee of steady jobs at good wages is a prosperous industry.

It is my judgment that this administration ought to do everything in its power to encourage and not hamper industry upon which the wealth of the State is so largely dependent. There may be a few examples here and there of employers who exploit their workers. Such practices ought to be ended by the use of whatever appropriate power the State possesses. I believe firmly in the principles of collective bargaining and feel that enlightened Maryland employers believe in in it also—and wish to see the practice extended. We must realize that capital and labor produce wealth together, that each in its own sphere helps in our common production. Satisfactory solutions result when each realizes that it alone cannot have all of the advantages; that in this world of "give and take" neither capital nor labor has a right to expect all the milk in the coconut. Experience has shown that both sides are directed by human beings and as human beings, neither side is free from shortcomings, neither commands all the knowledge and wisdom in the world.

Warns of Alien "Isms"

Maryland labor should be vigilant to protect itself from "boring from within," undertaken for the promotion of theories alien to the traditions and principles of our own people. Neither labor nor capital should be misled by doctrines espoused by people with historical backgrounds so completely unlike our own.

And while we hear constantly of rights, as the right to strike and the right of collective bargaining, let us never forget that there also exists another right, namely, the right to work. This right is ingrained in the American philosophy underlying our economic and social order, and so long as this country has respected it, we have advanced on the pathways of civilization.

The agencies that are established to administer laws to promote this harmonious relationship between capital and labor must be administered with the utmost impartiality. These agencies should not be dominated by labor, nor should they be dominated by capital. Justice for those immediately involved should be the guiding motive in the settlement of every dispute, for only through justice can we serve the welfare of the whole body politic and soundly improve the economic conditions of our time.

Relief for Worthy Only

An important obligation of the State, which must never be shirked, concerns the welfare of the indigent, the homeless, and those who by reason of mental or physical infirmities depend upon the State for their sustenance. Not only is it inherent in our conception of a democratic form of Government that unfortunate citizens who cannot sustain themselves, despite their eagerness to earn a livelihood, must not be allowed to starve or to be without shelter, but also our innermost feeling of friendliness to our fellow men dictates that we must give the really deserving the necessary aid and succor.

In order that resources and funds available for deserving cases be not dissipated, we owe it to the taxpayers to eliminate unworthy cases. The State does not owe an obligation to support everyone but rather confines its attention to those who are unable, through their own efforts, to obtain the necessities of life. Those who are entrusted with the handling of public funds for relief purposes have a grave obligation to guard expenditures jealously and refuse improper demands.

The State's obligation to the patients in the mental institutions, the hospitals for the tubercular and feeble-minded, must be met squarely, and accommodations afforded in keeping with decent standards of living and hospitalization. An example of what might be done for the betterment of conditions is to be found in the situation concerning the almshouses of Maryland. Conditions in the almshouses do not reflect credit upon Maryland, and it is my determination to give attention to this situation so that needed improvement may be effected.

Favors Social Legislation

We know from history, as well as from our own observation, that the part played by Government in the personal affairs of each individual has steadily increased since the founding of this State and this country. This could not be otherwise unless Government failed to keep pace with the complicated conditions arising from the changes in our rural and urban life. The increase in our population, the concentration of large numbers in our cities and the development of industries with the consequent specialization of effort have made us more dependent one upon the other. These developments have created social problems requiring the aid of Government in their solution so that the life of the State and Nation can proceed harmoniously with due regard for the conflicting interests and rights of the many classes of our people.

The growth of social legislation representing, as I believe it does, the crystallized judgment and the political philosophy of the majority of our citizens, does not represent in any true sense a departure from the principle of individual liberty upon which our State was founded. Rather it illustrates the ability of a democratic government to grow with, and foster the development of, civilized society. It is proper that you should know that I favor such sound, progressive legislation.

Four Primary Social Needs

Four primary social neds must be driven "line abreast" under the rein of economy and the spur of efficiency in a State worthy of the name. There are: (1) Law and order; (2) Public health; (3) Roads and other means of transportation, and (4) Education.

Law and order comes first because without public order none of the other necessities can be realized. Safety from physical violence is, however, but one form of safety. Forward-looking health policies are as necessary as police regulations in combating menaces to health. Without enforcement of sound health regulations, life in a modern State would be tragically insecure. We look to modern science and sanitation to provide a defensive of protection. Without good roads and highways and opportunities of transportation, the proper standard of living cannot be maintained. Finally, popular education is based upon the belief that enduring social and business organizations and good government depend upon the participation of an intelligent citizenship and that popular education will, undoubtedly, raise the level of intelligence and improve living conditions.

Under all these headings occur matters of detail but of very important detail. In connection with the maintenance of law and order we must not give exclusive attention to capturing and jailing offenders. We must not fail to take advantage of opportunities through a properly organized parole system to reclaim worth-while characters. Not only will there be a saving from an economic standpoint, but potential criminals may be turned into law-abiding citizens if the proper supervision, counsel and assistance are given by the State when there is the opportunity and basis for so doing.

Parole Can Reduce Crime

Through the intelligent administration of a well-organized and adequately staffed parole system, unlimited possibilities present themselves in the effort to reduce crime. A definite reduction in crime is assured if we reduce the number of criminals. Experience has shown that the number of criminals can be reduced if the State proceeds along well-directed lines in the study of the inmates of penal institutions, and prepares for the release of these inmates when it can be affected without harm to society or to the individual concerned.

The fact is that most of the prisoners within our penal institutions are going to be released sooner or later. Society should be greatly interested in taking every precaution that they are released when and under circumstances that will most surely indicate their ability to readjust themselves in the social order. During the period of their attempted readjustment they must be supervised, as much for society's welfare as for their own. This supervision can only be accomplished if there is an adequate staff of parole officers.

If we look at the situation from the standpoint of dollars and cents, it is more economical to assist those persons who are capable of reformation and readjustment in society to become self-supporting and to live decently, rather than to maintain them in prison. But more important than monetary consideration is the fact that human beings are thereby salvaged.

Protection of Public Education

In the field of public education that the child receiving his education at the hands of the State is the citizen of tomorrow. The development of his mind is an important investment which will pay dividends to the State in a better type of citizenship, in a higher culture and in wider enlightenment. While I am Governor of Maryland, no influence detrimental to the proper functioning of the public school system will be tolerated. I say this unqualifiedly because it is my sincere hope that the public school system of Maryland may be second to none in the entire United States.

Time does not permit a detailed discussion of many other important phases of the State government and of the possibilities before us. Without intending to minimize their importance by briefer reference, I might remark that regulation of the handling of alcoholic beverages requires strengthening and modification.

In deciding under what conditions and regulations intoxicating liquors are to be dispensed, I suggest that there ought to be a distinction made in regulations governing sales on Sunday and those on week days.

Problems of Agriculture

The questions affecting agriculture are of far-reaching importance and deserve your thoughtful consideration. Recognizing that benefit to the farmer will mean benefit to the entire State, I bespeak your serious attention to matters bearing upon the welfare of those engaged in agricultural pursuits.

Before concluding this address, I wish to pledge to the members of the co-ordinate branch of the government—the General Assemby—my co-operation and assistance. At the same time, I will ever be respectful of the prerogatives of the Legislature upon which I have no disposition to infringe. Inasmuch as the work of the Legislature and executive branches are interrelated, I shall strive to perform the part of the executive expeditiously and shall submit matters to the Legislature promptly in order that unnecessary time may be saved and delays avoided.

It may not be too much to hope that the work of the Legislature will proceed as promptly as is consistent with efficiency and suitable deliberation, so that the work may be completed before the expiration of the period allowed by the Constitution. Public money would be saved, and the anxiety occasioned by pending legislation would be averted, if this General Assembly terminated its session before the end of 90 days. Undoubtedly the Legislature would earn the lasting gratitude of the people if this much-desired accomplishment could be effected.

Pledges Aid to Legislators

It shall be my pleasure to be available and at the service of the Legislature and of its individual members and to assist it and them in every way within my power. My sincere desire is to be helpful. My only wish is to co-operate to the end that the session may be fruitful of constructive results for our beloved State.

And now, in concluding this address, my fellow citizens, may I ask your confidence and support in exchange for which I can only dedicate myself to the public service which lies ahead. We stand today at the threshold of a new tomorrow for our State. God grant us all the vision to distinguish the great things, to do them in effective ways, and to maintain the courage to carry out what we know should be done even though it be difficult to do. Let us, together, so arrange the affairs of the great State of Maryland that never again will we need take take second place in the Union. Let petty considerations be ignored while we, as fellow citizens, become interested in the continued progress of our State along every forward-looking line.

Let us grapple with our problems with steadfast purpose encouraged by the incentive that no difficulties are so great that the united efforts of well-intentioned people cannot solve them.

With reliance upon God and with the interests of our State at heart, may we now proceed in united activity, to effect worthy accomplishments for Maryland.

Dance Dates Set

Fredericksburg, Va., Jan. 11.—Dates for two dances in celebration of President Roosevelt's birthday anniversary were announced today. Stafford County will lead off with a dance on Friday night, January 27, and Fredericksburg will hold a dance on Monday, January 30.

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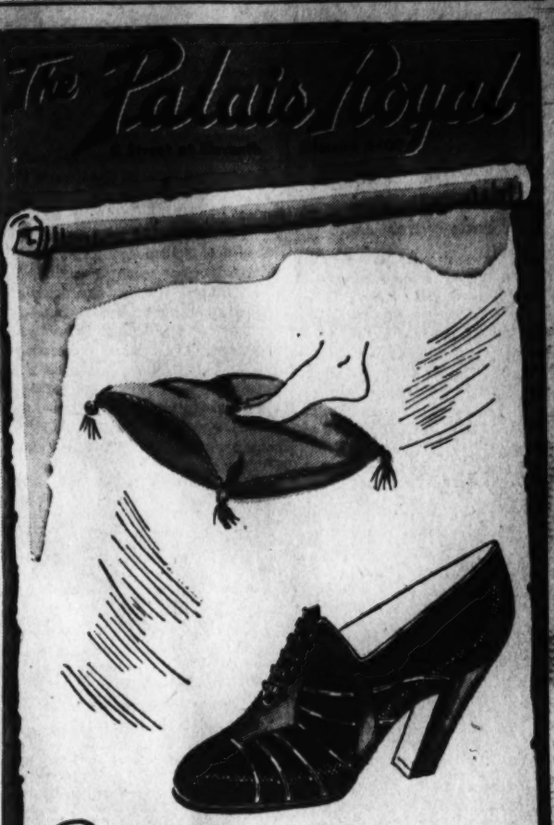

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Prince Georges To Centralize Its Charities

Social Service Bureau To Distribute Funds To Needy Families

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A central bureau to administer funds for needy families will be established by the Prince Georges County Social Service League, replacing the present system of distributing these funds through 30 or 40 member organizations.

Officials of the service league announced yesterday that the Federation of Citizens Associations proposal for the building of a county hospital also had been indorsed.

The entire slate of league officers was re-elected at a meeting Wednesday night. Those re-elected were William A. Duvall, of Branchville, president; Bert Wise, of Cheverly, first vice president; Mrs. Henry Morris, of Upper Marlboro, second vice president; Miss Helen Bock, of Oxon Hill, secretary; William R. Bartlie, of Decatur Heights, treasurer, and Fred W. Nickel, of Cheverly, executive secretary.

Bird H. Dolby, chairman of the drive conducted by the league in cooperation with the Washington Community Chest, announced that $6,-013.99 had been collected in the county from 1,290 donors, as of December 31.

By-laws Amended

An amendment to the by-laws of the league eliminates the selection of a director from each election district. The board of directors will include one representative from each member organization and seven adboard.

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Play at College Park

College Park.—First performance of the play, "Ghosts," was given at the Universit of aryland last night by the Footlight Club, student dramatic organization. Performances will continue nightly through Saturday. Dr. C. B. Hale, head of the English department at the university, is the director.

Nino Martini to Sing

College Park.—A concert by Nino Martini, Metropolitan Opera Company tenor, will be given at the University of Maryland, Ferruary 2.

Bishopric Offered Stuanton Pastor

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 10 (AP).—The bishopric of the upper Episcopal diocese of South Carolina was offered today to the Rev. John J. Gravatt, of Staunton, Va.

Mr. Gravatt, 57, who has been rector of Trinity Church in the Virginia town for the past 20 years, would succeed the late Rev. Kirkman C. Finlay, of Columbia. If he accepted the post, he will be the second bishop for the upper diocese, organized at Spartanburg in 1920.

Women's Club Elects

Cumberland, Md., Jan. 11.—The Women's Sport Club yesterday elected Miss Catherine Ways president. Other officers are Mrs. Ann Everline, vice president; Miss Eleanor Coffey, secretary; Miss Louise Zilch, treasurer. Mrs. Evelyn Rosenmerkle is club reporter.

4 Vestrymen Named

Warrenton, Va., Jan. 11.—At the annual congregational meeting of St. James Episcopal Church, the following new vestrymen were elected: Dr. J. C. Hodgkin, jr.; T. N. Frost, Arthur W. Mann and E. E. Jenkins.

District Firm Is Awarded Contract For Two Arlington School Buildings

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In a record time of 45 minutes the County School Board yesterday opened bids and awarded a contract for construction of two four-room elementary school buildings.

The contract was awarded to Allan Clark Minnix Construction Co., of Washington, whose bid was $40,797 for the Northside School and $40,812 for the Central elementary school. The Northside building will replace the frame Sagmuller schoolhouse at Walker's chapel and the Central elementary school will be located at North Third street and Henderson road.

Plans and specifications prepared by Raymond V. Long, State architect, provide for brick construction.

Bids were opened in the presence of John M. Stewart, chairman of the school board; the Rev. Walter Wolf and Arthur Wilson, board members, Fletcher Kemp, superintendent of schools; Norman L. Webb, traveling engineer, Public Works Administration, and J. E. Brunner, resident PWA engineer.

The contractor was instructed to start work today.

Adopts Slum Recommendations

Arlington—Adopting recommendations of the roads, streets, bridges, planning and zoning committee for a slum clearance project, the board of directors of the Arlington Chamber of Commerce yesterday voted to submit the proposal to the county board.

The board of directors also unanimously approved the construction of Unit No. 2 of the George Washington Memorial Parkway, for which Arlington County must appropriate $50,000 to match State and Federal appropriations.

Other matters which were favored by the directors were the plans for straightening North Washington boulevard at North Quincy street, installation of stop signs on all streets crossing Washington boulevard and the proposal of the Arlington Hospital Association to build and maintain a hospital in the county.

Stockholders Meeting Today

Rosslyn—The annual stockholders meeting of the Arlington Trust Co., will be held today at 1 p. m. in bank building at Rosslyn. Officers will be elected.

Episcopal Vestrymen Elected

Clarendon—At the annual congregational meeting of St. George's Episcopal Church last night the following were elected to the vestry: E. A. Meade, Frank Davis, William Broxton, C. P. Oliver, Benedict Genua, William Burch, E. K. Kloman, Clifford F. Smith, Carol F. Winchester, Roland Harrison, Leonard Jones and C. J. A. Johnson. Officers elected were E. A. Meade, senior warden; Frank Davis, junior warden; E. K. Kloman, treasurer; Clifford F. Smith, registrar; William Broxton and Carol F. Winchester, assistant treasurers.

Objects to New Road

Lyon Park—The Arlington County Civic Federation Tuesday night voted to request the County Board to rescind its action approving a substitute road for the Military road leading to Highway Bridge which was closed several months ago.

Action was taken on a resolution offered by J. Byron Brooks, amended by J. B. Lowell.

A. D. Adams, chairman of the executive committee, reported that he has written to the members of County Board seeking information of their attitude and that of the county manager on the question of a municipal power plant.

Deep Sea Diver Talks

Country Club Hills—Chief Turret Capt. Garland Suggs, U. S. N., speaker at the meeting of Arlington Kiwanis Club yesterday at Washington Golf and Country Club told of his experiences as a deep sea diver. He is a master diver attached to the Naval Diving School.

Committees Appointed

Fort Myer Heights—Dr. Victor Meyers, president of the Arlington County Civic Federation, announces appointment of standing committees for the year, as follows:

Constitution and by-laws—Percy A. Crittenden, chairman; J. B. Lowell, vice chairman; Frank T. Tracy, T. A. French, A. D. Adams, Monroe H. Stockett and H. C. Barden.

Legislative and legal action—A. A. Carretta, chairman; Mrs. Florence Cammon, vice chairman; Charles R. Fenwick, William C. Hull, Percy A. Crittenden, Mrs. Ruby G. Simpson, Mrs. J. B. Lowell, Flody Sitton, Mrs. Dorothy Dunn and I. Chance Buchan.

Membership—W. B. Marshall, chairman; Sophie Mann, vice chairman; Mrs. Aslie Haley, Harold W. Miller, O. J. LePrevost, E. C. Backhaus, J. Blake Schaaf and Mrs. C. H. Seaton.

Parks, planning and zoning—Nixon Brewer, chairman; Mrs. Marguerite Z. Baushman, vice chairman; Commander P. T. Wright, Miss Constance Backus, Mrs. Florence Cannon, Mrs. E. D. Fenten, G. W. Quick, William A. E. McShea, Joseph M. Feigley, jr., and Norman J. Hall.

Publicity—Dr. Victor Meyers, chairman; Julian D. Simpson, vice chairman, and A. D. Adams.

Public safety—Thomas R. Mechem, chairman; F. B. Hornbrook, vice chairman; Bjorn Oddson, E. B. Chapman, Fred Dee, Herbert Smith, W. R. Picken, J. E. Rice, and I. Chance Buchanan.

Public utilities—Robert E. Plymale, chairman; Harland Morris, vice chairman; W. H. Vanneman, F. B. Hornbrook, M. B. Arthur, J. B. Lowell, Mrs. Harriet Taylor, E. Lester Bennett, A. D. Adams, Julian D. Simpson, Horace L. Woodward and Mrs. Crosby Hoar.

Revenues and expenditures—Mrs. Marion L. Ramsay, chairman; Percy A. Crittenden, vice chairman; J. C. McClellan, Perkins Colville, Frank T. Tracy and I. Chance Buchanan.

Roads, streets, highways, bridges and sidewalks—Walter J. Venske, chairman; J. E. Rice, vice chairman; Joseph E. Toone, jr., Nixon Brewer, E. Hamilton Cawood, O. W. Menk, Bjorn Oddson, W. P. McVicar, C. F. D. Rollings and Henry Ames.

Sanitation and public health—Horace L. Woodward, chairman; E. R. Farrar, vice chairman; Walter C. Tilghman, W. R. Picken, Mrs. E. W. Petty, Frank P. Shipley and Mrs. Robert W. Livingstone.

Schools—E. B. Field, chairman; W. C. Wait, vice chairman; Mrs. Walter England, Mrs. C. H. Mann, Mrs. Ira Gabrielson, Charles A. Birch, George A. Collier, Lyman Fairbanks and Dr. Victor Meyers.

Hospital—Carolyn K. Lewis, chairman; Mrs. Goldie C. Sedgewick, vice chairman; Mrs. Minne Parker, Mrs. W. T. Baker, Miss Janice Rice, Mrs. Pearl Little, Walter D. Varney, Dr. C. R. Boyland and Mrs. Marguerite Z. Baushman.

Welfare—Mrs. Ruby G. Simpson chairman; Mrs. Lillian Baresouki, vice chairman; Mrs. J. E. Rice, B. O. Holtshauer, Commander P. T. Wright and Mrs. George A. Collier.

Fredericksburg Lions To Get Charter Tonight

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Fredericksburg, Va., Jan. 11.—This city's recently organized Lion's Club will receive its charter at a special dinner meeting tomorrow night at 7:30. Approximately 150 persons, including members of Lions' Clubs from the section of Virginia, Fredericksburg city officials and other invited guests are expected to attend.

Sam Preston, of Winchester, district governor of the Lions' International, will present the charter. Tom Miller, first vice president of the club, will act as toastmaster.

Dr. Hugo Mella to Train Doctors for Vets Bureau

Dr. Hugo A. Mella, manager of the Veterans Administration Facility at St. Cloud, Minn., has been transferred to Washington headquarters, effective February 1. He will succeed the late Dr. P. B. Matz, heading the Research sub-division in the Medical Service.

Dr. Mella will organize training courses for junior physicians entering Veterans Administration service.

Wertsch Elected Head Of Red Cross Chapter

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Waynesboro, Pa., Jan. 11.—A reorganization meeting of the Waynesboro chapter of the American Red Cross resulted in the following election yesterday: Chairman, Alvin C. Wertsch; vice chairman, Mrs. J. G. Corbett; treasurer, Chester E. Adams, and secretary, Mrs. D. N. Benedict. Committee chairmen are: Finance, John G. Benedict; civilian relief, S. D. Hockman; women's bureau, Mrs. S. F. Newman; home nursing, Mrs. Albert Mountford; junior Red Cross, Glenn A. Lehman; volunteer work, Mrs. Samuel Dreyfuss; first aid, R. A. Ross and disaster, H. E. D. Gray.

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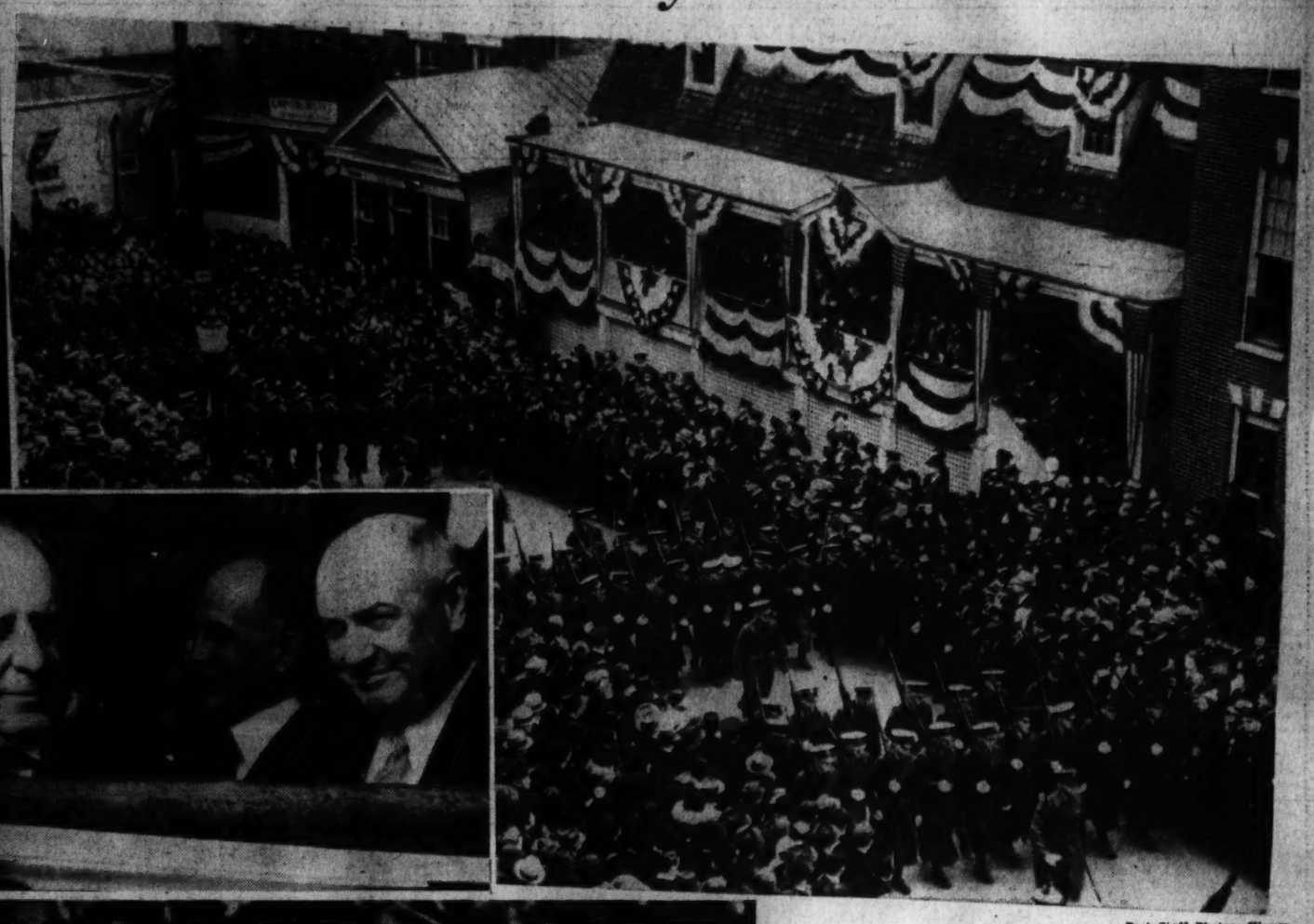
O'Conor Sworn In; 10,000 Parade in Tribute to Maryland's New Governor

'I, Herbert R. O'Conor, do solemnly swear . . .' The new Governor of Maryland takes the oath of office before Chief Judge Carroll T. Bond



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Jammed hordes thundered their applause as 10,000 marchers paraded past the reviewing stand on which stood the newly sworn-in Governor and his official party. Above, a section of the parade passing the stand at the Elks home in Annapolis

Above (insert), distinguished onlookers included (left to right): Senator Millard Tydings, Senator George Radcliffe, Under Secretary of State Sumner Welles and Postmaster General James Farley. Left, the Gaithersburg Band (Sons of the American Legion) show the onlookers some snappy marching as well as music. Right, none so proud as the Governor's children (left to right), Patricia, 13; James, 9; Eugene, 14, and Herbert R. O'Conor, jr., 16

3 Alexandria Banks Elect 1939 Officers

Boothe, Smith and Ruffner to Head Their Institutions

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Annual meetings of the three national banks here were held Tuesday and officers and directors re-elected, it was announced yesterday.

First National Bank directors are Benoit Baer, jr., Gardner L. Boothe, Albert V. Bryan, Harry Hammond, William A. Moore, George E. Warfield. Officers re-elected are Gardner L. Boothe, president; George E. Warfield, executive vice president and trust officer; Albert V. Bryan, vice president and assistant trust officer; Arthur K. Warfield, cashier; Robert G. Whitton, assistant cashier; C. Fred Schreiner and Miss Alice H. Whitton, assistant trust officers.

Alexandria National Bank directors: Judge Howard W. Smith, Judge William P. Woolls, L. H. Dudley, Otis H. Hullings, Charles A. Davis, Henry P. Thomas and Earl W. Saum; Judge Howard W. Smith, president; L. H. Dudley, vice president and cashier; John J. Kiser, assistant cashier; Clarence M. Wells, assistant cashier; W. W. Norris, assistant cashier; L. H. Dudley, trust officer.

Citizens National Bank directors: J. C. Herbert Bryant, George F. Downham, William W. Hulfish, Urban S. Lambert, A. Slater Lamond, Edward E. Lawler, Richard L. Ruffner; Richard L. Ruffner, president; Richard M. Green, vice president; George F. Downham, vice president and trust officer; C. C. Brown, vice president; Chester G. Pierce, cashier; Miss Mary Hunt Roberts, assistant cashier.

Health Officer Proposed

City Manager Carl L. Budwesky yesterday announced that the proposed set-up for the Alexandria health department, providing a full-time health officer, will be before the meeting of city council Tuesday, January 24. In the meantime, there is no change in the department, he said.

Commerce Committees Named

R. C. Brehaut, president of the Alexandria Chamber of Commerce, announces the following committee appointments:

Finance and budget, Robert G. Whitton, Chester G. Pierce, Elliott F. Hoffman and R. Samuel Luckett; legislation, John Barton Phillips, Judge Howard W. Smith, Maurice Rosenberg and Richard L. Ruffner; public works, Clarence J. Robinson, Charles C. Carlin, jr., Carl L. Budwesky and Robert L. May; program, David C. Book, Harold B. Martin, T. J. Moore, Aubrey Matter and Miss Corinne T. Reardon; membership, M. H. Borchell, W. K. Coakley, John E. Dunn, Robert M. Colvin, John W. Howard and Howard C. Richards.

The annual membership greeting will be held Friday, January 20, when reports for 1938 will be made.

Kiwanis Luncheon Today

Past District Governor Irving Dinner will present the program at the Alexandria Kiwanis Club luncheon at 12:15 p. m. today in the George Mason Hotel. President T. J. Moore will preside.

The subject will be "Alexandria and 1939 As I See It." Speakers will be Carl L. Bedwesky, city manager; Stanley Teagle, manager, Metropolitan Life Insurance Co.; David C. Book, manager, J. C. Penney Co.; Robert G. Whitton, assistant cashier, First National Bank, and Don A. Loftus, president and treasurer, Permanesque Homes Village, Inc.

K. C. Plans Housewarming

Grand Knight Edward T. Lannon presided at the meeting last night of Fitzgerald Council, No. 459, Knights of Columbus, in its newly decorated council chamber. Plans were outlined for a housewarming the latter part of January.

Carver Heads O. F. A. Again

J. R. Carver has been elected for a third term as president of Alexandria Council, No. 5, Order of Fraternal Americans.

Other officers are H. A. Mudd, vice president; J. Julian Davis, recording secretary; V. E. Bliss, assistant recording secretary; William H. Robinson, treasurer; George R. Smith, marshal; John H. Kent, warden; E. L. Cornell, chaplain; M. A. Harrison, junior past president; John W. Trimyer, trustee for three years; L. H. Wren, captain of degree team and financial secretary; M. A. Harrison, representative to the State council, and N. R. McCauley, alternate representative.

Holy Name Society Elects

Officers for the Holy Name Society of St. Rita's Catholic Church were elected Tuesday night. Michael Posner was chosen president, E. E. Silberhorn, vice president; L. W. McCrehan, secretary; George Giammittorio, marshal; M. J. McFarland, assistant marshal; the Rev. L. J. Koster, spiritual adviser.

$60,000 Home Planned By Gettysburg Elks

Gettysburg, Pa., Jan. 11.—Gettysburg lodge No. 1045 of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks approved plans at a regular meeting for a new $60,000 lodge home at the site of the present building on Chambersburg street. Work on the three-story structure will begin about April 1 and will be finished in six months.

O'Conor, Inaugurated Maryland Governor, Says He'll Raise Taxes to Balance Budget

Inaugural

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ning and working for the future, for the betterment of Maryland." The crowd cheered again.

All Maryland Represented

This afternoon, the oratory over, Annapolis echoed to such an inaugural parade as it had never seen before. Winding through narrow streets, while bands, fife and drum corps, and even a couple of kilted bagpipers, whooped it up, the parade took nearly two hours to pass Gov. O'Conor, Postmaster General James A. Farley, Under-secretary of State Sumner Welles and other reviewing notables on the porch of the Elks Club.

All Maryland was represented in the parade. In line were tanned oystermen from St. Marys County, dragging tongs and a huge net; tobacco farmers from Charles and the other southern Maryland counties; coal miners and operators from the mountains around Cumberland, and tomato growers from the flat lands of the Eastern Shore.

A gray-haired woman, dressed as a jockey, came by on a bay thoroughbred to remind the onlooker of Maryland's fame as a horse-breeding and racing State.

St. Mary's Industrial School was represented by its band. There were floats on which rode girls attired like those who came over on the Ark and the Dove, and in the Frederick, Md., delegation was a troupe of beauties in modern dress.

David C. Winebrenner 3d, political boss of Frederick, followed with his henchmen. Thriving Hagerstown was represented, and so, too, were Montgomery and Prince Georges counties, the latter contingent showing off a Democratic donkey.

Political Clubs March

The Concord and the other old-time political marching clubs of Baltimore were out in force, swinging along with canes and pennants. In their ranks were many ward and district leaders who helped pile up O'Conor's 66,000 majority over Harry W. Nice last November.

Nice went out of office smiling, bound for his old home in Baltimore in his rival's official automobile and with an official motorcycle escort provided by the latter.

Before the inaugural ceremony, the two men—fat, jovial, 63-year-old Nice and his 43-year-old Irish-American successor—walked together down the path from Government House, and then across the street to the State House. Their wives had gone before them, also friendly and smiling.

All Faiths Take Part

In the crowded Senate chamber, Nice stood alongside O'Conor as the latter, responding to the oath administered by Chief Judge Carroll T. Bond, said "I do," and thus became Maryland's sixtieth Governor. A moment later, in the glare of the flash bulbs, the two men who had fought it out at the polls in November stood shaking hands and wishing each other well.

Mayor Howard Jackson of Baltimore, who waged a bitter primary fight with O'Conor, also was on the scene today. When he lost in the primary, an ambition of 20 years was shattered. Yet he, too, remembered the Free State's traditions, its heritage from the Calverts and Carrolls, and joined in the general jubilation.

Three clergymen took part in the official proceedings. A Protestant, the Rev. James J. Coale, said the prayer before O'Conor was inaugurated; a Catholic, the Very Rev. Mgr. Harry A. Quinn, uttered the invocation before the inaugural address, and a Jew, Rabbi William Rosenau, pronounced the benediction.

Avoids Criticism

In his inaugural address, O'Conor chose not to criticize his predecessor.

"In this, to me a most solemn hour," he said, "I have no inclination to look backward, but only to look ahead. I do not intend to criticize or condemn those who have been in charge of the State's affairs. . . . We go on from here."

After the parade, Gov. O'Conor and his wife held a levee in the old Senate chamber—where George Washington resigned his commission as commander in chief of the Continental Army—greeting 3,500 persons.

Tonight the souvenir venders were gone from the streets of old Annapolis, and Herbert O'Conor, a young fellow who reached maturity in the jazz age, yet never drank, smoked or forgot his good manners, settled down for a sojourn in Government House, the leader of 1,777,900 Marylanders.

Abercrombie Heads Firemen At Takoma Park

David M. Abercrombie last night defeated Capt. Irving W. Johnson for presidency of the Takoma Park Volunteer Fire Association, at a meeting in the firehouse.

The association adopted a resolution commemorating the late Prof. Robert Criswell, head of the fire extension service at the University of Maryland.

Other officers named were Charles Thomas, vice president; Harvin D. C. Waters, secretary; Walter Scheller, financial secretary; Norman C. Jones, treasurer; Robert P. Roseman, sergeant at arms; H. Dewey Hayes, chief, and William Edward Lee, deputy chief.

Trustees included H. C. Heffner, P. W. Huck, C. C. Waters, Harold Hirst and Stephen La Scola.

Hunting Results Listed

Hancock, Md., Jan. 11.—According to C. B. Osmond, secretary of the Woodmont Rod and Gun Club, approximately 1,000 wild turkeys, 1,400 pheasants, 1,300 ducks and 20 deer were bagged by hunters on the club preserves during the recent seasons.

Waitresses Strike And Picket Hotel At Alexandria

Ten waitresses of the George Mason hotel, Alexandria, Va., are on strike for "union recognition and an increase in wages, now averaging 50 cents a day," it was announced yesterday.

The waitresses walked out when five were discharged allegedly on account of union activity. All ten were picketing the hotel and on Saturday ten more pickets, members of the Washington Committee of the Women's Trade Union League, are to join them.

A member of the Conciliation Board of the National Labor Board will attempt to settle the strike out of court.

The waitresses demand reinstatement of the discharged employees, and a minimum wage equal to that in the District.

Channel Is Dredged

Leonardtown, Md., Jan. 11.—Dredging to open a channel between the Potomac River and Neale Sound in Charles County has begun. The work will be finished in about six weeks.

Inaugural Scene: Phipps' Derby Bobbing in Forest of Top Hats

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 11 (AP).—Tumult and shouting's died, Herbert O'Conor is Governor of Maryland, and Annapolis is a bonanza for waste paper dealers.

Charwomen literally swept bales of discarded paper, candy-bar wrappers, cigarette stubs and cellophane from sandwiches out of the Statehouse. The Statehouse lawn was a checkerboard of old newspapers, lunch bags and other litter after the thousands who listened to the inaugural address had left.

Dignitaries demonstrated definitely that it is impossible to be dignified in a top hat while eating a ham sandwich and drinking milk from a bottle.

The lobby concessionaire did a land-office business as the inaugural ceremonies began at 11 a. m. and continued through 4 o'clock without a break. Famished legislators and other top-hatted big shots were slightly more than ludicrous sipping pop from bottles and munching ice cream bars with their silk bonnets tilted back.

Fashion note: Louis N. Phipps, Mayor of Annapolis and Senator-elect from Anne Arundel County, wore a derby hat with his formal attire today. His was the only derby in the forest of top hats and formal garb among the officials at the ceremonies.

Phipps, incidentally, deferred taking oath of office as State Senator until he makes his fiscal report to the city council tomorrow night he. He appeared at the functions today as Mayor of Annapolis and received much higher honors than those accorded State Senators.

The Tenth Ward of Baltimore was in its glory today and, regardless of Irish ancestry, they all appeared in brilliant green ribbons proclaiming, "Our own Herbert O'Conor, the Tenth Ward's own," on buttons half the size of pie plates, which bore the new Governor's likeness.

St. John's College was unofficially represented in the parade by a majority of the student body. When the units formed near St. John's campus, the undergraduates couldn't resist the temptation to join the party.

Someone acquired the big St. John's College flag, and before the reviewing stand was reached the impromptu delegation included most of the student body.

Diplomat to Lecture

Williamsburg, Va., Jan. 11 (AP).—Sir George oung, British diplomat and author, will discuss "Modern Dictators" in a lecture in Phi Beta Kappa Hall at William and Mary College Friday night.

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NAVY BASKET TEAM TRIMS TERPS, 47-37

Laney Makes 20 Points For Middies

Captain Sets Season Record; Knepley and DeWitt Terps' Stars

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 11.—The Navy basketball team, showing notable improvement over its form against Gettysburg last Saturday, won from Maryland here this afternoon, 47 to 37, the remarkable one-handed shooting of Bob Laney, Navy captain, from either side of the court, being the main factor in the victory.

Laney's total of 20 points, made up of 10 field goals, set a local record for the season, while Chesquiere, Navy, and Capt. Knepley, DeWitt and Bengoechea, of the visitors, were also in the two figure column.

Maryland's approach to the basket and its floor game in general was on even terms with that of Navy, but the margin was piled up through the brilliant shooting of the Navy captain, ably supported by George Chesquiere, rangy center. This pair, between them accounted for 34 of Navy's 47 points.

Maryland Scores First

Maryland led for a moment when George Knepley scored the first points, a field goal on a pass from Adam Bengoechea, but Capt. Laney followed with a long left-handed toss and then scored another one-hander from the other side of the court, Ghesquiere, who was working beautifully with Laney, scored two from the floor to give Navy the lead by 8 to 2. Knepley followed with a field goal for Maryland and Ghesquiere scored another for Navy.

George DeWitt scored from floor and line and after Laney had tossed another one-hander, Knepley scored from the line to cut Navy's lead to 12-8. Bengoechea made a 2-pointer, but Geis succeeded from the floor and line. To the end of the half, the Navy maintained its small lead, the score standing at 23 to 17 when the period closed.

Jone Hanley dropped his first goal from the floor as the second half opened, but Mondorff countered. After Larry Geis had tallied a field goal for the Navy, Bengoechea tallied, and with the steady shooting of Knepley and DeWitt, kept the Middies in check.

Four minutes before the close, Maryland had cut the lead to 39 to 34, but Laney and Ghesquirre caught their second wind and piled up points until the Navy led, 47 to 35. Knepley, however, cut the lead with the final score of the game.

Uses Reserves

Two minutes before the end, Coach Johnny Wilson put a second team on the floor, while a third string was on the court for the final 20 seconds.

The Navy contingent was greatly enthused by the improved playing of its team today. The services of Bob Gillette, a District youth who is a fast forward, will probably be available ina few days and will strengthen the offense.

Saturday will be a big basketball day locally. The Navy varsity will meet the strong Duke team and the plebes, reputed to be unusually strong, will open their schedule by meeting Eastern High School, of Washington. In the evening, St. John's has a game with New York University.

Navy.	G	FG	P	Maryland.	G	FG	P
Geis,f	3	1	7	Bengoechea,f	5	0	10
Ackley,f	0	0	0	Ochsenhirter,f	0	0	0
Riley,f	0	0	0	DeWitt,f	4	3	11
Laney,f	10	0	20	Shaffer,f	0	0	0
Hardy,f	1	0	2	Johnson,c	1	0	2
Ghesquirre,c	7	0	14	Knepley,g	5	2	12
Goranson,c	0	0	0	Mondorff,g	1	0	2
Wolfe,c	0	0	0	Rea,g	0	0	0
Lee,g	0	0	0				
Shaffer,g	0	0	0	Totals	16	5	37
Holmes,g	0	0	0				
Hahley,g	2	0	4				
Nelson,g	0	0	0				
Welch,g	0	0	0				
Totals	23	1	47				

Referees—Neun and Enright.

Randolph-Macon Loses Opener

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Front Royal, Va., Jan. 11.—Randolph-Macon Academy lost her opening basketball game on her home court this afternoon to a fast, sure-shooting team of Shepherdstown High School, 58 to 36. Price, of the visitors, made ten field goals and one foul shot and Pitzer eight field goals and four foul shots.

Conrad and Knepper led in the Randolph-Macon Academy scoring, the former with five field goals and two foul shots and the latter with four field goals and four foul shots.

The visitors held the lead throughout the game.

Woodberry Beaten By Benedictine

Woodberry Forest, Va., Jan. 11.—Displaying a group of top-speed ball hawks, the Benedictine High quintet of Richmond handed Woodberry Forest its first defeat of the season here today, 32-26.

The visitors went scoreless through the first quarter, but headed by Center Briggs, they pulled up to a 13-13 deadlock at the intermission. With Isaacs, Briggs and Miller in the starring roles, the Cadets moved on to a comfortable 8-point lead in the third period. Woodberry rallied to outscore the Richmonders in the final stanza but were unable to overcome their lead.

Benedictine.	G	FG	P	Woodberry.	G	FG	P
Isaacs,f	3	0	6	Wiltshire,f	2	2	6
McKnight,f	0	0	0	Patton,f	1	1	3
Briggs,c	6	1	13	Short,c	3	2	8
Miller,g	3	0	6	Glenn,g	0	0	0
Kelly,g	0	0	0	Covington,g	2	3	7
Hanson,g	2	0	4	Hart,f	1	0	2
Kranitsky,f	1	1	3				
McDonald,f	0	0	0	Totals	9	8	36
Totals	15	2	32				

Columbia Club Members Celebrate 'Fred McLeod' Day

Fred McLeod Is Honored At Columbia

Golf Professional Gets $1,000 Check And Month's Leave

By Merrell W. Whittlesey.

Fred McLeod, Columbia Country Club professional for 26 years, was made "Doctor" Fred McLeod, M. G. (Master of Golf) yesterday as the veteran Scot, National Open winner in 1908, was honored for his faithful service and tournament victories to the extent of a month's vacation and a $1,000 present by the club members.

Nearly 300 members and guests, including many distinguished Washingtonians, gathered at the Bethesda club to pay ribute to one of golfdom's greatest characters, who, 30 years after his Open triumph, won the P. G. A. senior's championship last month at Augusta.

In letters 2 feet high, tacked on a background in the corner of the bar, the word 'Freddie Champion' caught the eye, with the years of his principal triumphs, 1908-1938, on each side, and flanking the huge P. G. A. senior's cup were the club's invitation and club championship cups, the Wardman and McLean trophies, respectively.

James Speaks

George James, chairman of the golf committee for the first 20 years McLeod was professional at Columbia, made the principal address, and presented McLeod with the $1,000 check that left the little mentor speechless. He rallied to make a fine acceptance speech, however, while the other speaker was Club President Martin R. West, who succeeded James as golf committee chairman.

Five years after his Open victory at Myopia, Freddie was hired as the second pro at Columbia after the club moved from its original location at Brightwood. The club lifted the bars that kept the professional from enjoying the privileges of the clubhouse in those days and since 1913 he has been a familiar figure at the club.

James toastmaster's address dealt with the fact that Fred was born in North Berwick, Scotland, the date unknown, but long enough to qualify him for the B class in the senior's championship, age 55 to 59 years. As a letter carrier in his majesty's service, McLeod's route ran past a golf course, and many a day his majesty's subjects waited for their mail while the carrier was practicing with the mashie niblick that has gained him world-wide fame. In 1903 he came to the United States, and was golf professional in Rockford, Ill.; Chicago, St. Louis and New Orleans before coming to Columbia.

McLeod's major national champ-

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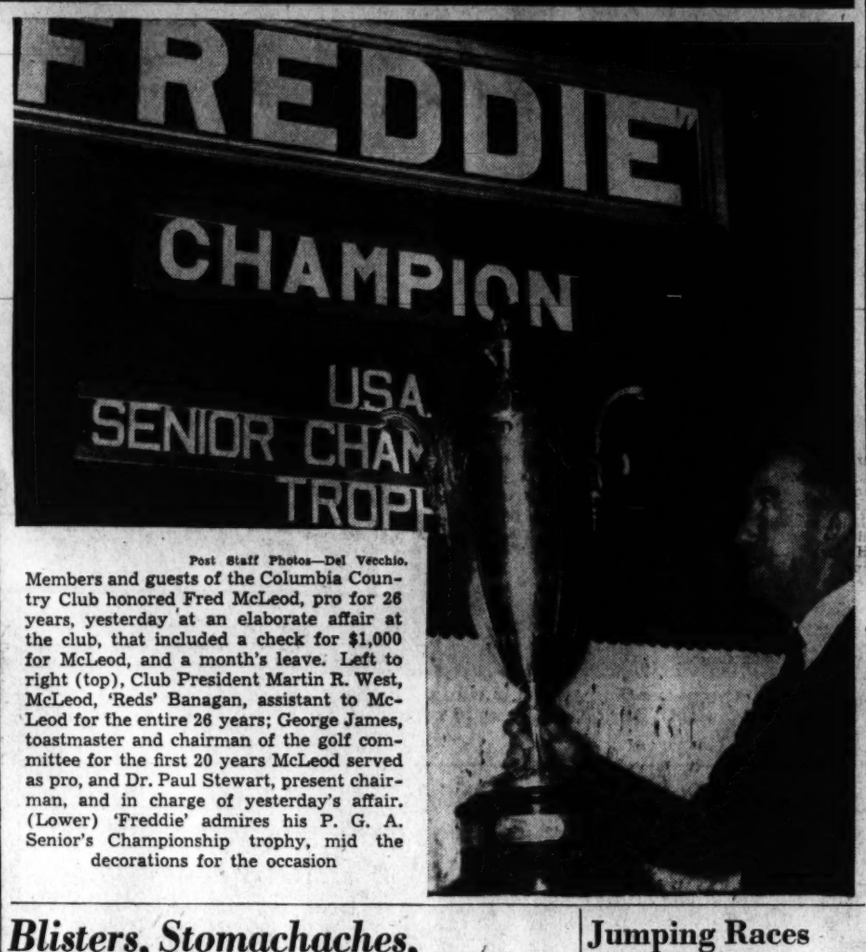


Post Staff Photos—Del Vecchio.

Members and guests of the Columbia Country Club honored Fred McLeod, pro for 26 years, yesterday at an elaborate affair at the club, that included a check for $1,000 for McLeod, and a month's leave. Left to right (top), Club President Martin R. West, McLeod, 'Reds' Banagan, assistant to McLeod for the entire 26 years; George James, toastmaster and chairman of the golf committee for the first 20 years McLeod served as pro, and Dr. Paul Stewart, present chairman, and in charge of yesterday's affair. (Lower) 'Freddie' admires his P. G. A. Senior's Championship trophy, mid the decorations for the occasion

Blisters, Stomachaches, Cause Budge-Vines Status

By the United Press.

Cleveland, Jan. 11.—Donald Budge, who would rather rattle a set of drums than pound a tennis ball, said tonight that the difference between his game and that of Ellsworth Vines lies in "stomach aches, blisters and let-cords."

The red-headed "grand slam" king of 1938 amateur tennis chatted for a few minutes between trains en route to Detroit and told a few things about his tour with Vines, whom he succeeded on the amateur throne and now wants to oust from the professional pedestal.

Explaining the present 3-to-3 status of their barnstorming matches, Budge said the deciding factors in the money matches thus far have been "stomachaches, blisters and let-cords."

"One night Elly has a stomachache and that slows him down and weakens his power a little," he said. "Another night I seem to have a few blisters and can't run fast enough and long enough.

"But golly, when it comes to let-cords, I tell you that guy is the luckiest guy in the world. Why, do you know that the official statistics on our six matches so far show that he has had an average of 10 winning left-cord shots a match?"

Somebody got rude and asked whether the matches are "fixed." Don replied bluntly, "No," and offered to show the blisters on his feet as proof.

"Besides," he said, "we're both out there to win the hardest way, because it means so much financially. The fellow who wins this tour will be on top next year and the loser will be on the sidelines, trying to pick up what scraps he can find."

Jumping Races At Cumberland Are Discussed

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Cumberland, Md., Jan. 11.—The ten-day race session of the Cumberland Fair Association, Inc., will be held August 8-12 and 15-18 with Harry A. Manley again serving as president and general manager.

Plans for 1939 were outlined at the annual meeting of the association yesterday. It will be Mr. Manley's fourteenth successive year as general manager and his seventh as president.

Minor alterations of the Fairgo plant, which underwent major improvements last year, were discussed. The advisability of adding steeplechase races to the program was discussed and there is a strong possibility that jumps will be installed and these thrilling races included in 1939.

One new director, Cliff W. White, who also serves as superintendent fo grounds, was named to the board.

G. W. Faces Last Week's Conqueror

Nonwinning Cards Meet Elon College; American Opposes Hampden-Sydney

By Jack Munhall.

Collegiate basketball fans will have the choice of three games tonight as local fives go into action against strong Southern opposition. Perhaps of most importance is the return engagement of George Washington and strong little Roanoke College at Tech gym.

In the other games Catholic University, without a single victory to show for four starts, plays host to Elon College and American University, making its first appearance since the Christmas holidays, entertains Hampden-Sydney in a Chesapeake Conference clash.

The Eagles play at 8 o'clock, the Cardinals at 8:15 and the Colonials at 8:30.

George Washington's remarkable home record will be threatened when Roanoke's Maroon seek to duplicate the 47-41 victory scored over the Colonials at Salem, Va., last week. Since Bill Reinhart took over the coaching reins at the downtown school four years ago the Colonials have lost only two contests at Tech although their opposition has included some of the country's top-ranking fives.

Bowed to Long Island

Long Island, annually one of the Nation's very best teams, and Loyola of Chicago, a Midwestern leader, both beat George Washington late in the 1937 season. Loyola's victory was accomplished by a narrow margin and chiefly through the efforts of big Mike Novak, 6-foot 7-inch center who stood before the basket and batted down Colonial shots.

Roanoke has not a player of the terrifying proportions of Novak but it will present a powerful, well-balanced outfit, strong enough to hold its own with the best. This the Virginians proved last season when, with the same personnel, they went, to the semi-finals of the national tournament.

This season the "smart five" as Roanoke fans have dubbed their team of seniors has won seven of eight games and apparently are a mortal cinch for their third straight State championship.

Rice Stands Out

Paul Rice, the visitors' forward who dumped in 19 points against the Colonials last week and came back with 20 against V. M. I. Monday looms as the player George Washington must stop. Rice's chief ally is Gene Studebaker whose specialty is a backhand shot off the pivot. Studebaker weighed in with 13 points against G. W. and tonight together with Rice will draw the Colonials ablest guards.

In a preliminary, the once-beaten George Washington frosh play strong Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Catholic University will rely on broad-beamed Wayne Ambrose, senior forward and one ofthe city's top scorers, to lead it out of its doldrums tonight. Having dropped successive games to Loyola of Baltimore, Clemson, The Citadel and St. Francis, the Cardinals must win this game or look forward to one of their worst seasons in recent years.

Clarke Handles Team

In the absence of Fod Cotton, who is in Kansas City for the funeral of his mother who died Tuesday, Jim Clark will handle the C. U. team. The starting line-up will consist of Ambrose and Joe Carrig at forwards, Rocco Pirro at center, and Gene Daly and Johnny White at guards.

American University, which gave undefeated Georgetown quite a tussle justbefore the holiday session, will be led by its versatile captain and forward, Emerson Bartlett. The Eagles will rule a decided favorite to whip Hampden-Sydney's Tigers.

Bucky Harris

By Shirley Povich

Chapter Five

BUCKY HARRIS, BACK IN THOSE hectic days of 1917 was, to put it mildly, deeply out of sympathy with the World War. Young Bucky began to regard the war as an agency begotten and designed solely to persecute Bucky Harris. And not without reason did he have his feelings in the matter.

He had first encountered the war while playing at Norfolk in the Virginia League in 1917. A Central League failure, he had finally caught on with Norfolk and in three weeks had become a fixture at shortstop. Then the league disbanded "due to the war," leaving Bucky jobless.

At Reading, in the New York State League, Bucky again found a job later in the season. There he conquered the doubts of Manager George Wiltse and at the end of the season was the regular second baseman. He began to vision himself on the way up. Ahead was the Class AA leagues and a step beyond that the majors. But at the end of the year the New York State folded "due to the war" and Bucky was again jobless.

Other leagues continued to operate, but seemingly every league with which Harris had any traffic collapsed. Pittston folks joked about it, but young Bucky saw no humor in the situation. Harris began to regard himself as something of a jinx. He wondered if it were, indeed, the war. Perhaps it was himself. Yes, he was bad news. He hexed things.

"But," relates Harris, "it was not until late in 1918 that I realized what a powerful hex I was. On November 10, two days after I turned 22, I was called in the draft and reported to Camp Crane, Allentown. The next day the war stopped. I take credit for stopping it."

But we are getting ahead of the story of Bucky Harris. We find him, during the winter of 1917-18 without a baseball job in sight. When the New York State League collapsed, all players were declared free agents, given permission to sign with any club that would have them.

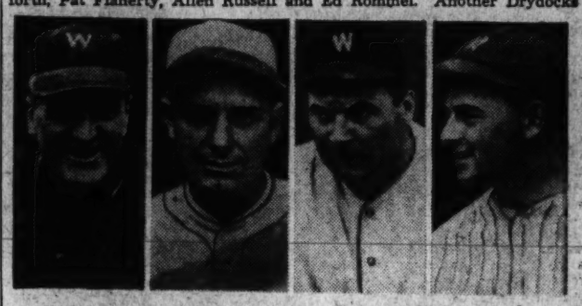
NO OFFERS FROM ORGANIZED BASEBALL came the way of young Bucky. His .250 batting average for a half-season at Reading didn't impress managers, although he had won recognition as a capable, often brilliant fielder. So in the spring of '18 when the Hoover Suction Sweeper Co. offered him $50 a week to play ball and work in their factory at North Canton, Ohio, Bucky grabbed it eagerly.

For a month he was a factory worker until the weather thawed to the point where the Ohio Industrial League could open its season. Then came a telegram from George Wiltse, who had been his manager at Reading. Wiltse, a former pitching star of the Giants, had been given the management of the Buffalo International League club through the offices of the late John McGraw. He offered Harris a $175-per-month contract with Buffalo and Bucky expressed his regrets to the Canton people, advising them he was taking the next train.

Buffalo was a tremendous step forward for Harris. It was Class AA ball, the next thing to the majors. Bucky was elated. He made good at Buffalo, batting .241 for the first 85 games. Then he heard talk that the International League was destined to "blow." Crowds were small and many clubs were operating at a loss. There was doubt that the league could weather the war-time pressure.

The boy who had pined for a job in organized baseball "jumped" the Buffalo club in July, 1918. At the risk of becoming a baseball outlaw, he left Buffalo without leave and accepted a $50-a-week offer to play for the Baltimore Drydocks team at Baltimore.

HE HAD QUIT ORGANIZED BASEBALL, but he had, in fact, moved into faster company. The Drydocks were a haven for big leaguers who chose shipyard work instead of war service. There he found such major league stars as Eddie Ainsmith, Joe Judge, Frank Schulte, Dave Danforth, Pat Flaherty, Allen Russell and Ed Rommel. Another Drydocks



JOE JUDGE ED ROMMEL ED AINSMITH WAITE HOYT

(Bucky Harris' teammates on a Baltimore shipyard team, 1918)

pitcher at the time was Waite Hoyt, yet to make good in the majors. Harris played second base in an infield in which he was the only minor leaguer.

Equippel as they were, the Drydocks did not lose a game that season. The Baltimore Orioles, then rated undisputedly as the best team in the minors and considered the equal of many major league clubs, were thrice beaten by the pseudo shipyard workers. With the Drydocks, Bucky Harris first familiarized himself with fast company and formed many of the contacts that were to hasten his progress to the big leagues.

In the spring of 1919, Harris learned that he had been forgiven for jumping the Buffalo club. Manager Wiltse was tendering him a contract for the next season. He was giving Bucky a $50-per-month increase over his 1938 salary, offering him $225 per month.

His friends with the Drydocks advised young Harris that he should ask more. With trepidation and against his better judgment, Bucky returned the contract, demanding $300 a month and threatening to stay with the Drydocks unless his terms were met. In his wildest dreams he had never visioned himself as a baseball holdout, could scarcely believe it now. Even more difficult to believe were the contents of the next mail which bore him a contract calling for the $300 a month he had asked from the Buffalo club.

AT BUFFALO IN 1919, BUCKY HARRIS discovered that he was a better ball player. He had improved in his fielding, especially in pivoting on double plays, and he was hitting well. He was the only second baseman carried by Buffalo, which was significant. For a time his batting average hovered around the .300 mark.

On a day when the Buffalo club had an open date in Newark, Harris was informed by Manager Wiltse th[illegible]m to the Polo Grounds for a tryout with the New York Giants. The Giants had a working agreement with Buffalo, the terms of which gave them first call on a player developed by the Buffalo club. Wiltse had selected Bucky as his most promising big league prospect.

Into the Polo Grounds went Harris to present himself to John McGraw for a tryout. McGraw told him to take a turn in batting practice and then to go in the field. Harris hit a half dozen pitches solidly, cavorted around second base for a half hour before the game and re-donned his street clothes. McGraw had not spoken another word to him and he went back to Newark in a frame of mind best described as dismal.

The next time Bucky Harris was to speak to John McGraw was on an afternoon in October, five years later. It was at Griffith Stadium and Manager Bucky Harris was leading his Washington club against the Giants of Manager John McGraw in the opening game of the 1924 World Series.

(Another Bucky Harris article will appear tomorrow.)

Seabiscuit Heavily Favored For Santa Anita Handicap

Turf King of '38 Placed in Notch Above Dauber, Last Year's Preakness Winner

By the United Press.

New York, Jan. 11.—Charles S. Howard's Seabiscuit, undisputed handicap king in 1938, ruled a heavy favorite for the $100,000 Santa Anita Handicap in quotations released by winter book operators today.

Quoted at 5-1 by James J. Carroll, St. Louis betting commissioner, Seabiscuit was one point lower at 4-1 in prices issued by Gene Normile, former general manager of the Agua Caliente race track.

Carroll's list included prices against all 107 nominees for the March 4 stake, while Normile confined his prices to the probbable starters in the race.

Carroll's quotations list William du Point's Dauber, last year's Preakness winner, as second choice at odds of 15-1. Normile offers 30-1 against Dauber.

Ligaroti, South American importation owned by Bing Crosby and Linn Howard, is grouped with Porter's Mite, last season's Belmont Futurity winner; Specify, which showed the way to the Biscuit in the Hollywood Gold Cup last summer only to fold up in the homestretch, and Main Man, just a fair plater, at the seemingly low odds of 20-1.

In the 30-1 brackets Carroll lists Esposa, the sturdy mare that trounced Seabiscuit last year; Heelfly, which ran Seabiscuit to a dead heat in Maryland; Jacola, the 1937 filly champ; Ossabaw, a converted jumper, and Stagehand, the boss of the 3-year-olds in 1938. Normile generously offers 10 points more than Carroll against this latter group.

There is a wide divergence of opinion between the two commissioners as to the worth of Xalapa Clown, unbeaten in three starts last year. Carroll quotes 40-1, a fair price, while Normile holds the colt at 20-1.

Pasteurized, the Belmont Stakes winner, is held at 40-1 in both books.

'Horror Movie' To Be Unrolled At Arena Tonight

If names have anything to do with it, tonight's feature mat match at Turner's Arena will resemble nothing better than a horro movie. The Golden Terror, masked sensation, who has played the villain's role here before, engages a wrestler with less reputation, but an even worse name, "Karl, the Killer" Davis.

According to Turner, Davis is the toughest dish the Terror has been forced to digest since the memorable Thanksgiving Day melee when Joe Savoldi dropkicked him into his sole deefat here.

Davis is a former Ohio State gridder, running mate of the famous Wes Fessler, All-American, from that institution. He is a 235-pounder, broad of shoulder, and clever with a pair of ham-like dukes. He promises that atny dirty work started by the Terror will be promptly ended by Mrs. Davis' son, Karl.

The rest of the line-up for tonight's matches, which, incidentally, will be visible for oJe Turner's bargain prices, run like this: Bibber McCoy against Nick Campofreda, Tommy O'Tolle against Jim Wright, Chief Little Wolf against John Gudusky, and Red Ryan against Frank Brown, a local product.

Meade Returns to Hialeah With Triple Victory

Associated Press WIREPHOTO.

The Warbern Stable's Rancho's Girl, ridden by Don Meade who also piloted Early Delivery to victory in the $5,000 added Inaugural, wins Florida's first 2-year-old race of 1939. Valinda Gold (No. 4) is second ahead of Hard Lu (No. 14.)

Redeems Shame of 3-Year Exile With Brilliant Riding

By the United Press.

Miami, Fla., Jan. 11.—Don Meade, once the kingpin of American jockeys, today redemmed three years of humiliating exile from racing wits a display of riding that dimmed everything else about the opening of the meeting at fashionable Hilesh Park.

The Hilsah opening, biggest show each year of Florida's winter season, was all Meade's, for he rode there winners. One of his victories was a smashing triumph in the $5,000 added Inaugural Handicap on Early Delivery, a 19-to-1 lshot.

It was Meade's first appearance in Hialeah in riding silks since March 3, 1936. He also rode a "triple" that day. He was ruled off the turf indefinitely the next day for betting on horses other than his own in races in which he was riding.

Meade's three triumphs today were dramatic. He won on No. 13 in the firts race, took the featured fifth with a rank outsider in the wagering, and rounded out his "triple in the eighth on a horse named Jinx.

(See other racing story on page 20.)

This Morning

With Shirley Povich

(News Item: "Bill Hartman quits Washington Redskins to accept coaching job at University of Georgia.")

Once upon a time college football was squawking loudly at the omnipresent evid of professional football. The pro game was pictured as a grasping ogre, luring college lads from the educational path with its promise of lucre as mercenaries of the gridiron. College boys who had not received offers from the pros were quitting school to take their chances as candidates for pro teams.

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So loudly did the colleges scream that the pro league took heed. Recognizing the influence held by college coaches over their players, the pros figuratively sued for peace. They set the style for the Munich pact with a policy of appeasement. They agreed to sign no more college players until after the players had graduated. If collegians quit school, they could not sign with a pro league team until their class had graduated. Thus did the pros attempt to show their good faith.

For several years it was a happy arrangement. The pros, well fortified by talent before the rule went into effect, got the colleges off their necks. Each year found a new crop of college graduates available. Eventually, the pro league discovered, they had given up little. They had won the respect and co-operation of college coaches and the talent began to flow into pro ranks without protest.

Pros Now Complaining

Lately, however, the pro league has been feeling an urge to squawk. In increasing numbers, players are being proselyted, but it is the colleges who have been the offenders. With their offers of coaching jobs, the colleges are luring pro players out of the league. Many of these pros were valuable investments of the club owners.

Last year Columbia University weaned Cliff Battles, All-League halfback and the pros' leading ground gainer, away from the Redskins with a $4,000 solory offer. A month later, Keith Molesworth, halfback of the Chicago Bears, accepted an offer to become assistant coach at Navy.

Within the past six weeks, two more Redskins have seen fit to quit the pros and accept college coaching jobs. Hartman's decision to return to his alma mater, Georgia, as backfield coach, was merely the latest defection from the ranks of the pros. Last month Riley Smith, prize quarterback of the latest defection from the ranks of the pros. Last month Riley Smith, prize quarterback of the Redskins, took an assistant coach job at Washington and Lee.

The pros could squawk, of course, but to whom? Certainly the colleges in their search for coaching talent cannot be expected to overlook the professional field, especially when pro teams contain their native sons. And any official protest by the pros would jeopardize the amity that now exists with the colleges. The pros cannot afford to reopen an old sor.

Something is assuredly wrong, of course, if the pros stand idly by an permit the colleges to reclaim their stars as coaches, which is what has been happening. It is not flattering to the pros that the colleges can offer pro players more money as assistant coaches than the pros can offer them as star players.

Pro Salaries to Blame

Assistant coaching jobs normally do not pay much. Cliff Battles' $4,000 which Columbia felt disposed to pay him is probably tops in the East. Two thousand dollars is high pay for an assistant coach. Yet the pros apparently are not disposed to meet that kind of competition.

It was brought out during Battles' salary debate with the Redskins that he was being paid only $2,700 for the 1927 season. And that after he had been a transcendant league star with the Redskins for six years. Why should Riley Smith play for the Redskins at $250 per game, or $2,750 for the season when he can take an assistant coaching job for $2,500 without the bumps and bruises of pro football?

The answer is that the pro club owners have none to blame but themselves for the back-to-college movement of pro players. The league has boasted that eight of their 10 clubs made money last season, yet pro league salaries continue at a level that enables college treasuries to compete in the bidding.

One official of the Redskin organization who was deeply disgusted at 36-0 beating at the hands of the Giants in the Eastern title game, had his own explanation for the Redskins' defeat. Said he: I don't know much about football, but one thing I do know. They've got to pay those linemen more money."

Freshmen Lead Madison Tourney

Special Dispatch to The Post

Harrisonburg, Va., Jan. 11.—Interclass basketball, an annual feature of Madison College's athletic program since 1911, is under way at the college. To date the freshman class team is leading the interclass series with two victories, having won from the sophomores, 23 to 20, and from the juniors, 25 to 4. The sophomore team is in second place with a victory over the seniors, 34 to 4, and with one defeat at the hands of the freshmen.

Mrs. Altheat L. Johnston, varsity basketball coach, is well pleased with the performances of several freshman players, including Virginia Woodward, of Sperryville, a guard.

St. John's Tramples Western Five, 26 to 13; Hunt Stars

City Champs Not Extended By Raiders

Johnnies Win Fifth Straight; Hunt Scores 8 Points.

By Jack Munhall.

St. John's Prep continued its uninterrupted march toward another city title yesterday by trouncing Western, favorite in the forthcoming interhigh series, 26-13, at Western Gym.

A capacity crowd saw Gene Augustefer's Johnnies lead all the way to register their fifth consecutive victory and, incidentally their easiest, while the Red Raiders suffered their first setback in five games.

The game, billed as an early indicator of the comparative strength of two of the District's finest schoolboy fives, was never a contest as Western, badly off both in shooting and ball handling, trailed from the first minute of action and was falling farther behind with each succeeding quarter.

Hunt Stars

Joe Gallagher, Jimmy Mulvihill and Martin Hunt—they were the heroes of St. John's surprisingly decisive triumph. Gallagher, keyman of his team's smooth offense, has seldom passed so accurately or played so steadily. Mulvihill, scrappy little guard who has improved immensely over last season, was a large factor in St. John's defense and chipped in with 6 points in the well-divided attack.

But it was Hunt, lanky, boyish center, who was the real St. John's leader. The 6-foot center, developing rapidly from an awkward, somewhat uncertain quantity into as smooth and capable a workman as was Jimmy Giebel, St. John's All-Prep center last season, dumped in three field goals and a pair of fouls to emerge as high scorer. He also completely shackled Jack Price, opposing center who failed to make a point.

But Price was not the only Raider who found the St. John's defense a puzzle. In fact Bob Holloran, Jim Horn and Howard Beatty were the only Western players to score. Holloran slipped in three field goals, all set shots; Beatty weighed in with one doubleheader and Horn a field goal and three charity shots.

Start Slowly

The pace was slow in the first quarter, and after six minutes had lapsd the score was tied at 1-1, each team having made a foul toss. But in the last two minutes of the period St. John's suddenly found the rang and took a 7-1 lead on successive baskets by Frank Cady, Hunt and Mulvihill.

This ample advantage was boosted soon after the start of the second quarter when Hunt flipped in a one-handed pivot shot and Gallagher a foul to make the count St .John's, 10; Western, 1. All this time the Railers had been unable to tally from the floor. Their first basket was made after two minutes of the period on a pretty pot shot by Beatty, ending a Raider basket famine of 12 minutes.

But Beatty's points were nullified immediately by a basket by Cady and then, after Holloran counted for Western, Hunt made a foul and Gallagher a basket to send the Johnnis into a 15-5 halftime lead.

It was the same in the second half. St. John's coasted along, sparing with its shots and preventing by its own close guarding any outburst by Western. Only when Western recorded one of its fw baskets did St. John's attempt further score.

St. John's.	G	FG	P	Western.	G	FG	P
Corrado,f....	1	0	2	Brennan,f....	0	0	0
Cady,f.....	2	0	4	Hughes,f.....	0	0	0
Bachelder,f..	0	0	0	Beatty,f.....	1	0	2
Hunt,c.....	3	2	8	Price,c.....	0	0	0
Mulvihill,g...	3	0	6	Horn,g.....	1	3	5
Gallagher,g..	2	2	6	Holloran,g...	3	0	6
Totals....	11	4	26	Totals.....	5	3	13

Fort Hill Wins

Special Dispatch to The Post

Westernport, Md., Jan. 11.—Fort Hill High's boys' and girls' basketball teams opened the nineteenth annual Western Maryland Interscholastic League season with victories over outfits representing Bruce High School, of Westernport.

Griffith Uses Bludgeon in 1939 Salary Debates

Post Staff Photo—Tom Kelley.

But it isn't serious. The Nats' owner playfully grabs a bat and holds it menacingly over the heads of Third Baseman Buddy Lewis (left), and Shortstop Cecil Travis who arrived yesterday to talk salary terms for next season. Sometime this morning Griffith will sign the pair without a struggle

Eastern Five Bows, 38-30, To G. U. Cubs

Schoolboy Champs Impressive as Frosh Take 4th Straight

Eastern High, defending champions in the interhigh cage league, dropped a 38-to-30 decision to the freshmen basketers of Georgetown University yesterday at the East Capitol street gymnasium, but for the first time this season resembled the devastating force which won last year's schoolboy crown without the loss of a game. The victory was the fourth in a row for the freshmen.

Until late in the game there was a good chance for the Easterners to win. Then they became unaccountably sluggish, allowing Frosh's Lujack and Miller to run up the 8-point advantage. Eastern managed for a 7-to-7 deadlock at the end of the first period, Mills, Battiste and Cooksey doing the Eastern scoring, and 'Grady Giebel and Miller hitting the ring for the youthful Hoyas.

The second period, too, was a nip and tuck affair, until the last minute, when Dickelson trotted in for two fast set-ups, to give Frosh a 20-to-16 edge. Again the Lincoln Parkers staged a rally in the third period, taking at 23-to-22 lead with three minutes of the sesion left, but allowing Georgetown to pull away again. Eastern was definitely out of the running in the last quarter.

Al Lujack, Frosh's substitute center, rolled up the largest amount of score, dropping three four shots and three field goals for 9 points. Eastern's "Soup" Hancock came second, with 8. The last two periods were marked by numerous personal fouls against both teams. Mills and Hancock, of the losers, were sent to the bench with the limit, as were O'Grady and Giebel, of the victors.

Eastern.	G	FG	P	Geo. Frosh.	G	FG	P
Cooksey,f....	2	1	5	Jaques,f.....	3	0	6
Custer,f.....	1	0	2	McKay,f.....	1	3	5
Stasulli,f....	0	1	1	Ferris,f.....	0	1	1
Earhart,f....	0	0	0	Kiernan,f....	1	2	4
Mills,c.....	2	1	5	Martin,c.....	0	0	0
Lassise,c....	0	2	2	Giebel,c.....	0	1	1
Hancock,g...	4	0	8	Lujack,g.....	3	3	9
Holben,g.....	0	0	0	O'Grady,g....	0	1	1
Battiste,g...	3	1	7	Dickelman,g..	2	0	4
				Miller,g.....	3	1	7
Totals....	12	6	30	Totals.....	13	12	38

Referee—Fox.

College Sports

BASKETBALL

Army, 27; Columbia, 23.
Navy, 47; Maryland, 37.

Hartman Quits Redskins for Coaching Post

Bill Hartman and the Washington Redskins have parted company. Hartman, chief understudy to Slingin' Sammy Baugh last season, yesterday signed a contract as backfield coach at the University of Georgia, his alma mater.

Hartman's appointment, announced in an Associated Press dispatch from Athens, Ga., was part of a general shuffling of football coaches at Georgia. Other assistants named by Head Coach Wallace Butts are J. B. Whitworth, former assistant at Louisiana State, who becomes line coach, and Quinton Lumpkin, captain of the 1938 team, who was named freshman coach.

With his decision to retire from professional football, Hartman becomes the second Redskin back to accept a college post within recent weeks. Quarterback Riley Smith quit the Redskins to take an assistant coaching job at Washington and Lee.

Hartman was drafted by the Redskins following the 1937 season after he had starred in the Georgia backfield. He declined at first to accept a professional contract, but was prevailed upon by Coach Ray Flaherty to report to the Redskins.

At the Washington team's training camp he was unimpressive during the early weeks and was not called upon in the All-Star game at Chicago. Given his chance in the Redskins' backfield a week later at Dallas, Hartman quickly demonstrated his value as both a passer and a runner.

With Sammy Baugh suffering from early season injuries, Hartman bore the brunt of the Redskins' passing attack. He was counted upon to figure prominently in the Redskins' offensive next season.

No comment was forthcoming yesterday from the Redskins' headquarters following Hartman's decision to quit pro football. Owner George Marshall and Coach Ray Flaherty are currently sojourning on the Pacific Coast and General Manager Jack Espey is in Florida.

Hartman's passing average last season was better than that of Baugh.

U. S. Basketers Lose

Lima, Peru, Jan. 11 (AP).—The touring United States A. A. U. basketball team lost its final game here to the local "Flecha" quintet, 27 to 23, last night. The Americans had won all four previous contests.

Gobblers Meet Indians in Cage Opener

17-Game Schedule Faced by V. P. I.; Two Lettermen

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Blacksburg, Va., Jan. 11.—With two seniors and three sophomores in the starting line-up, Virginia Tech opens its 17-game basketball schedule here Friday evening against William and Mary. The Spiders of University of Richmond will be met here Saturday at 8.

Next week the Gobblers will head South to play Duke at Durham Wednesday and North Carolina at Chapel Hill Wednesday, then will play the first of two games with Washington and Lee at Lexington, Saturday.

Capt. Sonny Powers and Frank Pierce, at guard and forward, are the only returning letter men from the 1938 team that lost Mel Henry, Charley Southern, Frank Walkauskas and Carol Shockey by graduation and Pihl DeMuro by ineligibility.

The trio of sophomores slated for first team berths include Tommy Ingram, tall Bristol boy, at forward; Keith Haff, of West Frankfort, Ill., at center, and Joe Robertson, of Suffolk, at guard. Ingram and the veteran Pierce are 6-footers and Haff stands just under 6 feet. Powers and Robertson are short, shifty boys.

John G. Beard Wins Prize at Annapolis

Special Dispatch to The Post

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 10.—For having "done the most by his spirit and character to promote football at the Naval Academy," Midshipman John G. Beard, jr., of Chapel Hill, N. C., will receive the Class of 1938 prize. The first of the June prizes of this year to be announced. He may make his choice of a wrist watch, pocket watch or Marine binoculars.

Md. Golf Body Will Vote on Public Links

January 20 Caucus Will Decide Status Of D. C. Courses

The Maryland State Golf Association will vote on the establishment of a public links section at the annual meeting January 20, at Baltimore Country Club, to include the municipal courses in the area of the State body. A second vice president from the Washington district will be added to the executive committee, due to the heavy membership of the District clubs.

The members of the public links clubs will be entitled to the privileges, including tournaments and other activities of the association. No clubs shall be eligible for membership until it has been in existence for one year, and the dues shall be the same as for the private clubs.

All applications for membership shall be referred to the public links committee, and membership shall be for one year only. The committee will be three members of the executive committee, one as chairman and two from member municipal clubs.

The addition of the pay-as-you-play golfers should greatly increase the fields in tournaments, and interest in the association. Clubs in the Baltimore district eligible would include Mount Pleasant, Clifton Park, Forest Park, and others, while White Flint would be the only local club eligible.

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pionship achievements during his years at Columbia have been a finalist berth in the 1919 P. G. A. at Roslyn, N. Y., where he lost to the great Jim Barnes, and runner-up in the National Open at Columbia in 1923, where he tied with Walter Hagen when Jim Barnes won by a nine-stroke margin.

Now, at the age when most golfers are hanging up the sticks or confining their efforts to a round a week, the likeable Scot mentor, who received his American citizenship papers several years ago, probably plays as much golf as any individual in the country.

In 1937 he averaged nearly two 18-hole rounds a day in playing 537 round of golf, and last year played nearly 400, despite the local winters that often leave the courses unplayable for weeks at a time. His most frequent companions is William Wade Hinshaw, of operatic fame, and occasionally Gen. Malin Craig, Chief of Staff of the United States Army.

Dr. Paul Stewart, appointed by West as golf committee chairman, was in charge of the event that payed due honor to a pro, whose wish that he could serve at least 50 years on the job, was in accordance with the thoughts of the entire membership.

"Reds" Banagan, assistant to Freddie during his 26 years at Columbia, who received a new automobile last year from the club members, was apparently the most pleased man at the event.

Schmeling to Fight In 'Comeback' Bout

Berlin, Jan. 11 (AP).—Max Schmeling, Germany's perennial heavyweight contender, today confirmed rumors that he is planning a comeback as he said, "I am not quitting with a knockout on my record."

Schmeling, stopped by Champion Joe Louis in 2:04 of the first round of their title bout last summer, is thinking of making his first fight comeback attempt in April or May. So far no opponent has been selected.

Bambino Home From Hospital, Says 'I'm O.K.'

BABE RUTH

Ruth Will Resume Golf and Hunting; Heart Issue Evaded

By the Associated Press.

New York, Jan. 1.—The bed was "too hard," so Babe Ruth came home from the hospital today.

With no more concern than that, the one and only bambino shrugged off the overnight confinement that had the baseball world breathless with shock over the condition of its No. 1 citizen.

"Aw, I'm okay," the Babe growled. "I was just trying to take off some of this bay window and the doc decided I needed an examination."

Mrs. Ruth and Dr. Robert H. McConell, the Babe's physician, were just as underturbed. Although not so cheerful as the Babe over his reported sudden ill heath, Mrs. Ruth nevertheless was not too worried about the rumors that a heart condition had halted his activities.

"We've been hearing stories about the Babe's heart for 10 years," she pointed out, "but so far we are glad to report it hasn't bothered him. When he was sick back in 1929, they said it was his heart, and when the heat got the best of him last year, they said the same thing. So far we don't know a thing about it."

Dr. McConell refused to comment on a direct question as to whether the Babe is suffering from a heart condition, contending that was Ruth's "private business," but he, too, insisted that "everything is satisfactory."

From Babe's attitude—he still "whispered" to you in his same bellow—the only thing he cared about was that his ailing might curtail his golf. That, to Ruth, would be a major operation. He's as rabid a linksman as ever cussed a sandtrap.

Roanoke Set For Colonial Game Tonight

'Five Smart Boys' Seek Second Triumph In Row Over G. W. U.

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Salem, Va., Jan. 11.—After drubbing Virginia Military Institute's Flying Keydets, 52-28, since their first win over the Colonials, Roanoke College's high-powered Maroons will seek to make it two-in-a-row over George Washington University tomorrow night in the Nation's Capital.

The Colonials have been resting from games since they bowed to the Maroons in a heart-thriller last Saturday night, 47-41, but their coach, Bill Reinhart, has sent them through lively sessions in an effort to revenge the defeat administered by the Old Dominion court champions.

In Monday night's victory over the Cadets, Roanoke's "Five Smart Boys" showed a definite return of the magic basketball form that gave them the No. 2 spot in the National Intercollegiate Basketball Tournament in Kansas City last spring.

Paul Rice, the All-State forward who saved the day for the Maroons against the Colonials in their initial encounter by plopping counters for 19 points, duplicated his performance against V. M. I., indicating conclusively that he has returned to form after a rather slow start this fall.

Bob Sheffield, who ranges on the 6-foot-5 level at center for Roanoke, has jumped back into place after a post-holiday lethargy, and Bob Lieb, All-State guard and all-tournament choice for the same spot, is appearing in old-time form minus the clownish antics in which he sometimes indulges.

G. W. Frosh Top G. W. High, 43-40

Alexandria, Va., Jan. 11.—Led by Howard Josephesen, flashy New York cager, George Washington University's smooth-passing freshman five staged a rousing second-half comeback to thump the George Washington High quintet here tonight, 43-40.

Unaccustomed to the low-ceilinged G. W. Gym, the Little Colonials failed to click during the first half of the contest and at the intermission walked off the floor on the short end of a 14-12 score. In the final two periods, however, they cameback to completely outclass their scholastic rivals with a dazzling exhibition of shooting and passing.

G. W. Frosh	G	FG	P	G. W. High.	G	FG	P
Jones,f.....	1	0	2	Payne,f.....	2	2	6
McNeill,f....	0	1	1	Worden,f.....	0	0	0
Gilham,f.....	1	2	4	Scott,f.....	1	1	3
Deming,c.....	4	1	9	Clift,f.....	0	1	1
Rieff,c.....	1	0	2	Nowland,c....	3	2	8
Josephson,f..	7	1	15	Heflin,g.....	1	0	2
Brieff,g.....	2	1	5	Williams,g...	1	1	3
Moore,g.....	1	0	2	Taylor,g.....	1	0	2
				Dove,g.....	0	0	0
Totals....	17	6	40	Totals.....	8	7	23

Gene Tunney, Here for Visit, Sniffs At Mention of Current Heavyweights

Sees Galento Easy For Louis; Considers Nova as Amateur

By Shirley Povich.

A rising young Wall Street figure—rated a millionaire many times over—draped himself caross a lounge in his hotel suite here yesterday and talked knowingly and pungently of prize fights and prize fighters.

Gene Tunney, who used to be a fighter himself and has the photostatic copy of a check for $1,020,000 to prove that he drew down the biggest purse for a single bout in all prize fight history, sniffed at mention of the current heavyweight crop.

"Leaving Joe Louis out of this—because Louis is an excellent fighter—what do we have?" asked Tunney. "I will answer that for you. We have some very awful challengers."

The handsome fellow who twice licked Jack Dempsey and quit the ring with only the faintest trace of a mashed ear to betray his former calling, was here to attend the testimonial dinner to Homer Cummings, retired Attorney General. Coincidentally, he arrived in Washington only an hour after Dempsey had quit the city after a day's visit.

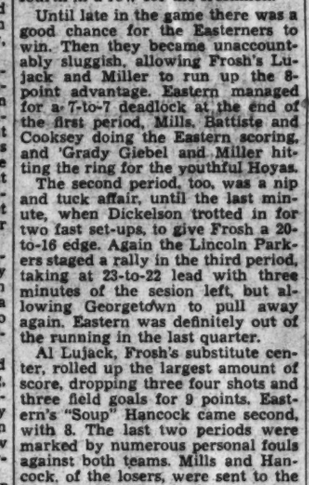
He shook his head sadly at the mentoin of Lou Nova, hailed now as Joe Louis' No. 1 challenger by virtue of his victory over Tommy Farr.

"Nova? Why he's simply a horrible amateur," said Tunney. "He does not know how to box. He hits hard, I must say, but I cannot see him as a champion.

"Who else do we have? Farr, Galento and Max Baer. Two of those, I believe could whp Nova—Galento and Baer. Farr is simply a bad fighter and can't do it. Baer is not game, but I believe he would be game enough to beat such as Nova. Galento is a clown, of course, but he hits hard. He is hard to hurt, and I think he could lay Nova out.

"A Galento-Louis fight would be the worst thing that could happen, I believe. I would not care to witness that match. It might result fatally for Galento, who has the courage to stand up to Louis."

A dim figure on the fistic horizon—Pat Comiskey, of Paterson, N. J.—is Tunney's choice as the man who is the lone threat to Louis' title. "I am quite taken with Comiskey," said Tunney. "He is only 17½ years old but he shows signs of extraordinary skill and he has a punch. If he is brought along slowly he has an excellent chance. But New York boxing writers have already spotted him and the publicity he is getting before he has had his first real test may do him no good."



GENE TUNNEY

Sees Title Threat in Young Jersey Boy, Pat Commiskey

Tunney described last summer's Louis-Schmeling fight as "the most destructive piece of work I have ever seen." He said: "In 40 seconds Louis reduced Schmeling to a helpless pulp. He had him draped over the ropes and helpless before the first minute. He was a real killer that night.

"I wasn't surprised that Schmeling lost. It was obvious to me while I was in the ring before the fight that somewhere along the training trail he had lost his confidence. Schmeling is a very imaginative fellow and perhaps he was thinking of the disgrace that would follow in his native Germany if he lost to a non-Aryan. Sitting in his corner before the opening bell he was pale and tense. I saw him gulp, which was a bad sign. Louis was acting like a tiger waiting to be unleased."

There'll never be another gate to approach the $2,800,000 he drew with Dempsey at Chicago in 1927, Tunney believes. "The circumstances and conditions of that bout were unusual. It was during the period of high inflation. They could sell seats at $50. It was a return bout between a popular champion who had been licked, and the man who beat him. Millions believed the stories that Dempsey had been doped before his first fight. On my side I had 5,000,000 former service men. We both had our separate and tremendous followings. I doubt if people will ever be as deeply concerned about any other fight."

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Early Delivery Noses Out Wise Prince in Thrilling Hialeah Feature

Meade Wins First Stake Of Comeback

$40.10 Shot Lasts In Front of Rival; 12,000 See Thriller; Rancho's Girl Wins

By the Associated Press.

Hialeah Park, Fla., Jan. 11.—Mrs. W. Plunket Stewart's early delivery, unable to win a purse in nine 1938 efforts, and Felix Spatola's Wise Prince, an old Florida favorite, drove down to the wire noses apart as named in the Hialeah inaugural handicap while more than 12,000 jittery fans screamed encouragement here this afternoon. Early delivery, an entry with Milk Punch, ran to his speedy morning trials to finish the 6 furlongs in 1:10 2-5. He paid $40.10 for a $2 ticket.

Third in the field of 14 crack sprinters was the Bomar Stable's Bejam, a length and a half behind. Townsend B. Martin's entry of Galapas, the Tropical inaugural winner, and Bigey ruled favorite, but neither ever became a factor.

Early Delivery's share of the purse was $5,070. Don Meade, recently reinstated after two years on the ground, earned a double on the victor, his first winning stakes mount since the days when he rode for Col. E. R. Bradley.

Brilliant Setting

Joseph E. Widener's showplace of the South, opening its 46-day session in a brilliant tropical setting, was graced by one of the most representative crowds in it's history, with celebrities and innumerable members of the who's who set seen at almost every point.

Early Delivery was rushed to the front just after a good start, with the fleet "field" horse, Floragina, sent along to force the pace. This pair led the others by a wide margin to the stretch. Then Wise Prince, topweight of the lot under 120 pounds and with Wayne Wright in the saddle, drove up on the outside of the ultimate winner as Floragina hoisted the distress signal. The finish was so close that many expected the dead heat sign to be flashed, but Early Delivery kept his nose in front barely long enough to win. Benjam, one of the outsiders, raced well up all the way and beat Floragina two lengths for the show.

The current meeting is expected to prove the most interesting and important in the annals of the Florida turf. More "big name" horses are scheduled to start here than ever before. Such equine stars as War Admiral, Lawrin, Stagehand, Inscoelda and other Northern leaders are expected to provide the major thrills.

Rancho's Girl Winner

Rancho's Girl, a daughter of Cohort flying the silks of the Warborn Stable, gained the honor of winning the initial event of 3 furlongs. Grouped in the tote field and favorite at $6.40 for $2, the chestnut Miss, with Don Meade up, raced close to the early pace and swept into late command to score by a half-length in :34 1-5. Valdina Gold, one of the numerous paddock tips, fought for the lead all the way and earned the place by a head, with Hard Lu, another field horse, third. Eddie Litzenberger, who recently returned to the saddle after about two years absence because of a thrice-broken leg, fell from the back of Maebrille just after the start, but he escaped with a shaking up.

Eddie Arcaro, leading pilot at the Tropical Park meeting, rang up his first success of the new session when he brought Highomar, a Tropical Park winner, through on the inside to win the second race in the last lap. The almost neglected Blind Pig made the running until Highomar, coming from well back, stole through to gain the photo decision. Sun Phantom, beaten a head for the place, barely earned the show over the slow starting favorite, Bob's Boys. Highomar paid $9.90.

Sickle T. Scores

Sickle T. and Joe Schenck, both scratched out of the Hialeah Inaugural Handicap, decided the issue in the fourth event of seven furlongs. The former, close second choice to Joe Schenck, drove up on the inside to outlast his rival by a head. Dunade, the early leader, weakened in the stretch and finished third, three lenghts back. The three placed horses outran the remainder of the field all the way. Eddie Arcaro scoreda double astride Sickle T. The combination returned $4.80.

A failure in two tries at Tropical Park, the Wheatley Stable's Paddy seemed to appreciate dropping 11 pounds and easily outran the other 3-year-olds in the third dash of 6 furlongs. Paying $10.40, the son of Jamestown broke very fast and never faltered, clicking by four lengths under Mose Merrill. Loveday came along in time to head Royal Pam out of second money. Mae Da, which formerly ran as River Pirate, was a dull running choice.

The first race of the season over the turf course went to Play Gold, a 4-year-old son of Display that paid slightly better than 3 to 1. Uvalde was beaten a length and a half while earning the place, a half dozen lengths clear of the favored Jack Patches. Play Gold made the running but was temporarily headed by Uvalde around the final bend. Then Uvalde weakened and allowed the winner to draw away. The time for the mile and one-sixteenth was 1:48 2-5.

Enlisted Men Hold Horse Show Tonight

The enlisted men at Fort Myer will hold a horse show tonight at 7:30 o'clock at the Riding Hall. The program will include several spectacular individual jumping events in addition to humorous musical chair rides and team jumping and classes for artillery draft horses and troopers' mounts.

Sutherland Gets Post

New York, Nov. 11 (AP).—Jock Sutherland, the silent, successful coach of Pittsburgh's football teams for the last 15 years, will coach the Eastern College All Stars of 1939 for the New York Herald-Tribune's fresh air fund game against the world professional champions—the New York Giants.

Chart of Hialeah Races

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 11, 1939.

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WEATHER, CLEAR. TRACK, FAST.

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs. Nursery course. Purse, $800. For maiden 2-year-old fillies. Start good from Bahr gate. Won driving; place same. Went to post 2:01. Off 2:02. Winner, Warbern Stable's b. f. (2), by Cohort—Emancipate. Trained by W. A. Carter. Value to winner, $600; second, $125; third, $50; fourth, $25. Time, 0:23 1-5, 0:34 1-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	Start	Stretch	Finish	Straight
RANCHO'S GIRL	(Meade)	116	13	3	5¹	1½	*$7.20
VALDINA GOLD	(Steffen)	114	4	2	4³	2¹	5.65
HARD LU	(Rosen)	116	14	4	8¹½	3nk	*
DAMAGED GOODS	(Seabo)	116	2	10	3ⁿ	4nk	18.45
FLYING GLEE	(Wagner)	116	3	1	1¹½	5ⁿ	45.95
NEW DAWN	(Wright)	116	6	9	7ⁿ	6¹	19.85
GAUDY	(Rose)	114	9	11	9½	7½	29.60
CAUGHT NAPPING	(Mastrianni)	116	11	5	11ⁿ	8nk	19.85
LAST ROSE	(Deering)	116	12	8	10ⁿ	9¹	*
BALLYHASTE	(Stout)	116	10	6	12¹	10¹	9.00
COBIKE	(Berger)	116	5	7	6¹	11¹½	17.85
MIMOSA	(Arcaro)	116	1	13	2½	12¹	7.90
MADAM CAPET	(Hanford)	116	7	12	13	13	5.70
MAEBRILLE	(Litzenberger)	116	8	14	Lost rider		24.30

*Field.

Two-dollar mutuels paid—RANCHO'S GIRL (field), $6.40, $3.70, $4.30; VALDINA GOLD, $6.80, $5.50; HARD LU (field), $4.30.

RANCHO'S GIRL, away alertly, went forwardly on the extreme outside in the early stages, closed with determination through the stretch and wore VALDINA GOLD down in the last strides. VALDINA GOLD broke well and raced straight, assumed a brief lead a sixteenth mile out, but then faltered. HARD LU, forced out after going a furlong, made a game effort when clear and got up for third in the final stride.

SECOND RACE—Six and one-half furlongs. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good from Bahr gate. Won handily; place same. Went to post 2:31. Off 2:32½. Winner, Mrs. B. F. Whitaker's ch. g. (6), by High Cloud—Gay Omar. Trained by Jack Howard. Value to winner, $700; second, $150; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 0:22 3-5, 0:46, 1:11, 1:17 2-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
HIGH OMAR	(Arcaro)	113	4	7	9ⁿ	9¹	7ⁿ	1nk	$3.90
BLIND PIG	(Nash)	105	2	1	1ⁿ	1¹	1¹	2ⁿ	35.00
SUNPHANTOM	(F. A. Smith)	104	5	6	5ⁿ	4½	2ⁿ	3½	12.30
BOB'S BOYS	(Roberts)	117	11	9	8ⁿ	8½	3½	4¹	1.75
BUCKING	(Yarberry)	105	1	4	3¹	3¹½	3¹	5¹	26.25
MARSON	(Maloney)	108	6	10	10¹½	7¹	5¹	6¹	23.90
CANDLE ENDS	(Dabson)	113	7	8	7¹	6½	9½	7¹½	23.60
SUNTIME	(Parlso)	104	12	11	11ⁿ	11ⁿ	10¹	8¹	12.60
CISNEROS	(Maschek)	112	10	12	12	12	11ⁿ	9¹	80.05
POSTERITY	(Meade)	112	3	2	4¹	5½	8¹	10⁵	4.90
U BOAT	(Stronsky)	105	8	3	2¹	2¹	4½	11ⁿ	16.00
BILLMAR	(Peters)	113	9	5	6¹	10¹	12	12	195.80

Two-dollar mutuels paid—HIGH OMAR, $9.90, $5.10, $4.70; BLIND PIG, $33.20, $14.40; SUNPHANTOM, $9.40.

HIGH OMAR, slow to find his stride, began to improve his position while slipping through on the inside in the final quarter mile and, continuing courageously, got up in the last stride. BLIND PIG broke fast, displayed the most speed, but faltered when the real test came. SUNPHANTOM, a forward contender all the way, closed in resolute fashion. BOB'S BOYS, slow to begin, circled the field entering the stretch and finished with a belated rush. BUCKING faltered in the final furlong. MARSON raced creditably. U BOAT, close to the early pace, ran out entering the stretch.

Daily Double, Rancho's Girl and High Omar, Paid $31.90.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $1,100. The Biscayne Bay. For 3-year-olds; allowances. Start good from Bahr gate. Won handily; place driving. Went to post 3:01. Off 3:03. Winner, Wheatley Stable's ch. h. c. (3), by Jamestown—Bally Shannon. Trained by G. Tappen. Value to winner, $775; second, $175; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 0:22 3-5, 0:45 4-5, 1:11 2-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
PADDY	(Merrill)	107	3	2	1¹	1¹½	1¹	1¹	$4.20
LOVEDAY	(Meade)	108	10	2	5²	4¹	2nk	2nk	4.50
ROYAL PAM	(Hanford)	115	4	5	2³	2²	3²	3¹	3.00
SKY BALL	(Schmidl)	107	5	1	3¹	3²	3½	4¹	37.80
SILENT WITNESS	(Anderson)	112	6	8	7ⁿ	7ⁿ	6³	5¹½	68.25
MAEDA	(Merry)	103½	8	6	6½	5²	5²	6¹½	1.35
BIG NED	(Murphy)	109	8	10	10	9¹½	7ⁿ	7ⁿ	121.15
SILSWEEP	(G. Smith)	105	9	9	9¹	10	9¹	8²	238.90
TO TOWN	(Seabo)	105	7	4	4ⁿ	6¹	8¹	9¹	106.50
IRISH LOVER	(Ashcroft)	100	2	7	8¹	8½	10	10	112.70

Two-dollar mutuels paid—PADDY, $10.40, $4.30, $3.00; LOVEDAY, $4.30, $2.80; ROYAL PAM, $3.00.

PADDY held his opposition safe for speed, set a swift early pace while saving ground, shook off ROYAL PAM when straightened into the stretch, but was kept under light pressure to the finish. LOVEDAY, hard ridden all the way, saved much ground in the final half mile and wore ROYAL PAM down in the final drive. ROYAL PAM, going in nearest pursuit of the leader in the early running, faltered in the final furlong as if a trifle short. SKY BALL raced well up from the start while going wide and finished handily. SILENT WITNESS performed evenly. MAEDA broke slowly, went under strong urging and intermittent punishment, but was never a serious contender.

FOURTH RACE—Seven furlongs. Purse, $1,200. The Cocoanut Grove. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good from Bahr gate. Won driving; place same. Went to post 3:31. Off 3:33. Winner, B. F. Whitaker's ch. c. (4), by Sickle—Tea. Trained by Jack Howard. Value to winner, $850; second, $200; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 0:23 1-5, 0:46 4-5, 1:11 1-5, 1:23.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
SICKLE T	(Arcaro)	113	3	7	5ⁿ	4¹	2½	2ⁿ	1nk	$1.40
JOE SCHENCK	(Yarberry)	103	2	3	2½	2¹	3²	3ⁿ	2²	1.20
DUNADE	(Ashcroft)	105	1	1	1¹½	1ⁿ	1ⁿ	1ⁿ	3¹½	30.25
FRANCESCO	(Long)	114½	1	6	6ⁿ	9	6¹½	5¹	4¹	51.25
BAR FLY	(F. A. Smith)	105	9	2	3½	3ⁿ	4¹½	4²	5¹	14.45
MAERIEL	(Meade)	108	5	9	9	8¹	8²	7ⁿ	6¹	13.65
SHORT DISTANCE	(Bateman)	98½	7	5	4¹	5ⁿ	5²	6¹	7ⁿ	28.90
OUR WILLIE	(Roberts)	110	8	11	11	7ⁿ	7¹	8³	8¹½	52.95
HER REIGH	(Wallace)	105	6	4	7½	6½	9	9	9	73.65

Two-dollar mutuels paid—SICKLE T, $4.80, $2.70, $3.00; JOE SCHENCK, $2.70, $3.00; DUNADE, $5.80.

SICKLE T, on the inside in tight quarters until midway around the lower turn, moved up to the leaders with determination when securing racing room, closed resolutely when the real test came and outlasted JOE SCHENCK. The latter, going in near pursuit of DUNADE in the early stages, appeared the winner a sixteenth mile out, but Arcaro clearly outrode Yarberry when it came to a drive. DUNADE began fast, set a rapid pace in the opening half mile, made a game effort when challenged, but faltered as if a trifle short. FRANCESCO closed some ground through the stretch. BAR FLY raced the last quarter mile as if short.

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs. Purse, $5,000 added. The Hialeah Park Inaugural Handicap. For 3-year-olds and upward. Start good from Bahr gate. Won driving; place same. Went to post 4:06. Off 4:08½. Winner, Mrs. W. P. Stewart's b. c. (4), by Milkman—Timely. Trained by G. M. Odom. Net value to winner, $5,070; second, $1,000; third, $500; fourth, $250. Time, 0:22 3-5, 0:45 1-5, 1:10 2-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	Str.	Fin.	Straight
EARLY DELIVERY	(Meade)	111	2	2	1¹½	1¹½	1¹½	1nk	†$19.05
WISE PRINCE	(Wright)	120	6	10	6½	5¹½	4²	2¹	4.65
BENJAM	(Peters)	113	1	3	3nk	3²	3¹½	3¹	35.05
FLORAGINA	(Parlso)	104	3	4	2¹½	2²	2¹½	4¹	94.10
BIGEY	(Steffen)	115	7	5	5½	6¹½	5¹	5nk	12.45
COUNT MORSE	(Anderson)	117	11	8	9ⁿ	7ⁿ	6²	6ⁿ	25.70
GO HOME	(Roberts)	115	5	9	11ⁿ	11ⁿ	8ⁿ	7ⁿ	20.00
MYTHICAL KING	(J. Renick)	114	14	12	13²	13²	12²	8½	11.45
NO SIR	(Dabson)	109	9	14	12¹	10½	11²	9¹	*
ARMOR BEARER	(Arcaro)	113	13	7	7ⁿ	8¹	9½	10¹	6.75
OUR KETCHAM	(Wagner)	110	12	11	8ⁿ	9½	10¹	11½	19.45
MILK PUNCH	(Berger)	110	8	13	14	14	13²	12⁴	†
SHOULDER ARMS	(Seabo)	110	4	6	4ⁿ	4½	7ⁿ	13²	29.75
GALAPAS	(Stout)	113	10	7	10¹	12²	14	14	‡

*Field.

†Mrs. W. Plunkett Stewart entry.

‡Townsend B. Martin entry.

Two-dollar mutuels paid—EARLY DELIVERY (Stewart entry), $40.10, $12.70, $7.70; WISE PRINCE, $6.80, $5.50; BENJAM, $12.40.

EARLY DELIVERY, away forwardly, set a very fast pace while saving ground in the early running, shook off FLORAGINA when straightened into the stretch, but faltered and just lasted. WISE PRINCE secured clear passage on the inside to the furlong pole, swung around the leaders in the final furlong, closed gamely under punishment and would have won in another stride. BENJAM, prominent contender and clear all the way, finished courageously through the stretch, but could not reach the leaders.

SIXTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good from Bahr gate. Won handily; place driving. Went to post 4:41. Off 4:42. Winner, P. L. Kelley's ch. g. (4), by Reign Count—French Duchess. Trained by owner. Value to winner, $700; second, $150; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 0:23 2-5, 0:48, 1:12, 1:37 3-5, 1:50 3-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
COUNT VALIANT	(Ashcroft)	112	2	3	2¹½	2¹	2¹	1ⁿ	1¹	$1.40
CHANCE STAR	(Parlso)	104	3	3	1¹	1¹	1¹½	1ⁿ	2¹½	3.60
MIDAS	(Schmidl)	112	1	1	5ⁿ	5ⁿ	4²	3¹	3ⁿ	3.60
INVITING	(Wagner)	108	4	4	2¹½	2¹	3ⁿ	4²	4nk	9.40
MAEFLEET	(Yarberry)	103	5	5	4½	4ⁿ	5ⁿ	5ⁿ	5¹	9.30
REMINDING	(Seabo)	107	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	13.40

Two-dollar mutuels paid—COUNT VALIANT, $4.90, $3.00, $2.50; CHANCE STAR, $3.60, $2.90; MIDAS, $3.00.

COUNT VALIANT, taken back rounding the first turn, followed the pace well up while saving ground until straightened into the stretch, then came around CHANCE STAR and drew out in the last furlong. CHANCE STAR held the field safe for speed, set a steady pace under light restraint, but was unable to stave off the winner when challenged. MIDAS, under stout restraint until leaving the backstretch, gradually bettered his position on the outside when placed to pressure and easily disposed of the others.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles (on the turf). Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good from Bahr gate. Won cleverly; place driving. Went to post 5:13. Off 5:20. Winner, K. King's ch. c. (4), by Display—Goldiva. Trained by J. Wessler. Value to winner, $700; second, $150; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 1:48 2-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
PLAY GOLD	(F. A. Smith)	105	5	3	1¹	1²	1²	1¹½	1ⁿ	$3.05
UVALDE	(Arcaro)	114	4	2	3¹	3¹	2¹	2¹	2ⁿ	10.65
JACK PATCHES	(Peters)	113	3	6	5¹	4¹	4²	4¹	3ⁿ	20.80
SIR REG	(Mastrianni)	110	7	11	9ⁿ	10ⁿ	10ⁿ	8¹	4ⁿ	33.00
THE RUNNER	(Page)	117	1	12	7¹½	7ⁿ	7ⁿ	6¹	5ⁿ	3.85
CHEICK RAMA	(Yarberry)	108	10	8	4²	5ⁿ	5¹½	5¹½	6²	29.00
PANORAMA	(Roberts)	104	11	9	8ⁿ	9ⁿ	9ⁿ	7¹	7ⁿ	92.00
DARK BEAU	(Nash)	110	2	1	10²	9¹	9¹	10²	8¹	5.50
WOODWAAC	(Wilson)	111	6	5	6½	8¹	8¹	7¹	7½	32.90
WISE MENTOR	(Ashcroft)	104	9	10	8²	6¹	6ⁿ	9½	10²	45.65
HEZDREL	(Seabo)	113	8	7	11½	11²	11²	11²	11ⁿ	47.45
BOB C	(Quintero)	103	12	9	12	12	12	12	12	42.55

Two-dollar mutuels paid—PLAY GOLD, $8.10, $4.90, $3.70; UVALDE, $8.10, $4.90; JACK PATCHES, $3.30.

PLAY GOLD took command with a rush going to the first turn, was steadied in front while saving ground and, responding determinedly in the final furlong to pressure, shook off UVALDE. The latter, a forward contender throughout, came through on the inside entering the stretch, but faltered in the final furlong. JACK PATCHES, vigorously urged, gained steadily in the last three furlongs, to hold the others safe. SIR REG closed a good gap while racing wide. THE RUNNER finished stoutly. CHEICK RAMA displayed speed for six furlongs. PANORAMA, keen contender early, tired in the last quarter.

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-eighth miles. Purse, $1,000; claiming. For 4-year-olds and upward. Start good from Bahr gate. Won driving; place same. Went to post 5:47. Off 5:48. Winner, Mrs. J. H. O'Donnell's b. m. (5), by Boatswain—Martial Spirit. Trained by J. H. O'Donnell. Value to winner, $700; second, $150; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, 0:23 4-5, 0:47 4-5, 1:12 2-5, 1:38 3-5, 1:51 1-5.

Horses	Jockeys	Wgt.	Post	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	Fin.	Straight
JINX	(Meade)	110	7	2	1¹	2½	2ⁿ	1ⁿ	1½	$13.15
MAO SONG	(Ashcroft)	104	5	8	10ⁿ	10½	8ⁿ	4¹½	2¹	5.65
PLAY BY PLAY	(Driscoll)	112	12	4	4¹	3ⁿ	3²	3²	3ⁿ	7.35
FREDALVA	(Merrill)	107	4	3	2²	1²	1ⁿ	2¹½	4½	9.90
WOULD DARE	(Parlso)	112	8	12	12	12	10¹	6³	5¹	3.20
ESPINACA	(Nash)	112	2	7	5¹	4¹½	4²	5²	6¹	4.40
GOLDEN X	(Rosen)	115	10	11	7ⁿ	7²	8½	7¹	7¹½	24.75
GRAND JESTER	(Swain)	115	1	10	11⁴	11⁴	9¹	9²	8¹	33.50
WEST SEA	(Craig)	118	11	6	9¹	9ⁿ	11²	8¹	9¹⁰	15.80
MANHATTAN	(Sena)	107	6	5	8²	8½	12	11²	10¹½	203.25
MAGICIENNE	(Rose)	107	9	9	6²	6¹	11½	10¹	11²	14.55
HOSE	(Anderson)	115	3	1	3⁴	5½	7½	12	12	15.20

Two-dollar mutuels paid—JINX, $28.30, $12.30, $8.00; PLAY BY PLAY, $5.40; FLAG SONG, $7.60, $5.40.

JINX, quickest away, was eased off the pace in the run down the backstretch, again assumed command at the furlong pole and, responding to punishment gamely, outlasted FLAG SONG. The latter, slow to get going, gradually bettered her position on the extreme outside in the final three furlongs and would have won in another stride. PLAY BY PLAY, forward contender all the way, finished in game fashion, but could not keep pace with the leaders. FREDALVA, rushed to the front down the backstretch, weakened when it came to a drive. WOULD DARE, a trailer early, closed a big gap in the final quarter mile to finish fastest of all.

The Post's Consensus at Hialeah Park

Bennings (Washington Post)

First Race.	Second Race.	Third Race	Fourth Race.	Fifth Race.	Sixth Race.	Seventh race	Eighth race.
Wabaunsee	Oak Apple	Saunderstown	Lipton	Historic	Kievex	Ravenna	Passing Eve
Preferred Time	Buck Benny	Candy Prince	Faust	Sir Damion	Quicker	Harry's Dream	Knight Gallant
Son of War	Holiday Tea	Black Arrow	Harpen Belle	Your Buddy	Copper Tube	Hi-Tide	Steel King

Best bet—Historic.

By the Louisville Times (AP)

	Holiday Tea	Saunderstown	Mansco	Historic	Ballwick	Galloping	Later On
No selections	Detailed	Black Arrow	Cruising	Maedic	Copper Tube	Harry's Dream	Knight Gallant
	Jacopobelle	Candy Prince	Faust	Hunting Home	Pallas	Be Big	Seed

Best bet—Historic.

Consensus of Leading Handicappers

Wabaunsee (30)	Oak Apple (20)	Saund'st'n (22)	Mansco (30)	Historic (19)	Cop'r Tube (31)	Galloping (13)	Kn'gt G'll (21)
Maeceand (16)	Spirit G'en (12)	Or'l Exp'r's (6)	Cruising (11)	H'ar'y H'm' (9)	Ballwick (18)	H'rry's Dr'm (8)	Pass'g Eve (11)
Staff Sgt'r (6)	Hold'y Tea (6)	Cal Rainey (9)	Harp'n Belle (9)	Sun Inplay (8)	Quicker (10)	Bri'nt Aces (8)	Seed (11)

Bill Bennings

At the Post

Hialeah Park, Jan. 11.

Dear Al:

Well it looks as if they just can't keep the Benningsites from having one longshot winner a day. Today we tried to put over Benjam. The Bomer Stable horse was better than 35 to 1, and if you don'tthink he was trying take a look at the chart on this page. He was third and beaten only a nose and a length. That $72.10 mutuel would have looked good in print. But they didn't beat us on Jinx in the last race. And at a $28.80 mutuel. In addition, our horses were banging there way in the money all day and it looks as if it's going to be a good-time Hialeah. Clocker Mike was one of the most important men around Flagler street tonight. He cashed a place parley on the sixth and seventh races and had $24 to win on Jinx. That gave him a bank roll of $339.30 and he has asked me to let the Benningites follow his play. Tomorrow's he's going to bet $5 to win and $5 to place on Lipton in the fourth. Just when the new Gulfstream Park track up at Hollywood will open is not known. Originally it had been planned to open with Hialeah. Then the date was set for January 18. Now I hear the plant will open on February 1. Jockey Don Meade was riding for keep today. He always operated with success at Hialeah until he ran afoul of officials. He won three races and there wasn't a fan present who didn't see him trying with all his mounts. The Early Delivery-Wise Prince finish today just missed being a deadheat. The judges took a long time before they finally named the longshot as the winner. f you played Sir Reg today, don't be discouraged. He raced on the outside throughout and closed like the wind. A good one to remember. BLL.

First race—Wabaunsee is a son of Insco, the sire which gave the Woolford Farm Lawrin and Iscoelda. This stock colt has worked well and could win at the first asking. **Preferred Time** is a well-bred youngster by Pennant, and is reported to be fast. **Son of War**, by War Hoop, may take care of the others.

Second race—Oak Apple had plenty of class early last year and then tailed off. His last was a decided improvement, and this looks like a good spot. **Buck Benny**, with Peters aboard, would be a threat in this company. **Holiday Tea** may get into the money picture.

Third race—Saunderstown gallopped along in front of good opposition at the other track and has all the earmarks of a winning favorite in this field. **Candy Prince** will have the hard-riding Schmidl in the saddle and is dangerous. **Black Arrow** could improve with the change of tracks.

Fourth race—Here's my daily longshot special—**Lipton.** This fellow was conditioned over at Tropical and is due to awake. But remember, if you don't like them long, stay off. Faust has all his speed now and will be ready to score if it's not the day for the top one. **Harpen Belle** probably will be close.

Fifth race—Histronic, with Arcaro up, seems capable of turning back this company. He is as fit as he ever will be, and I say take any price. **Sir Damion** has worked well. **Your Buddy** had hard luck in Maryland last fall and could surprise.

Sixth race—Kieve likes the track, and, with Dabson in the driver's seat, I look for a set of brackets. **Quicker** is fit and ready and promises to be in the thick of contention. **Copper Tube** is in light and should prove a tough customer.

Seventh race—Ravenna is a cheap mare, but she packs a closing punch. The long route and the turf course may suit her purposes. I'm going to take my chances. **Harry's Dream** and **Hi-Tide** to take care of the place and show.

Eighth race—Penning Eve, in with only 105 pounds and with Yarberry aboard, gets my call in the day's finale. **Knight Gallant** and **Steel King** to fill out the money bracket. The route suits **Giant Killer.** I wonder what our friend would say if he took this.

Best bet—Histronic.

Fair Grounds Results

By the Associated Press.

FIRST—One and one-half miles; purse, $600; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward. **Phantom Fox, 109 (Richard) 5.40 3.20 2.80**
Skipsea, 104 (Calvert) 5.00
Hood Cover, Lockstep, Escolee, Laura Kiev, Merne also ran. Time, 2:37 4-5.

SECOND (original seventh)—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.
Vedalia, 110 G.Smith) 7.00 4.20 3.00
Rams Head, 115 Cowley) 6.20 4.40
Negale, 118 (Burns) 4.00
Sumanin Hill, Aurebon, Highman, Catsweep, Fluke also ran. Time, 1:47 2-5.

THIRD—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.
Manda's Baby, 106 Keiper) 22.80 10.00 6.20
Glowset, 111 Lolurco) 4.00 3.20
Fay Check, 111 Conley) 5.80
Imeblue, Sedina, Miss Webb, *Sister Jean, Waush Pop, Me O My, Ultidue, *Joe Jay, *Little Marcelle also ran. Time, 1:13 3-5. *Field.

FOURTH—Two furlongs; purse, $600; special weights; 2-year-old maidens.
Good Gosh, 111 Vedder) 6.20 4.00 3.20
Perfect Maid, 111 Conley) 5.20 3.80
†Miss Ethel, 111 Richard) 2.40
Mary Greenock, Axelson, Breaking Waves, *Man in the Moon, *Cardell, *Chuck O Lantern, Haushty Jack, Teche Lady also ran. Time, 0:22 4-5. *Field.
†Dead heat for show.

FIFTH—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $600; claiming; 4-year-olds and upward.
Stepinanna, 106 Conley) 5.00 2.80 2.40
Jadva, 104 (Ores) 3.40 2.80
Beas B., 104 (Eccard) 2.60
Mannerly, Symphon, Green Country, Miss Apprehend also ran. Time, 1:47.

SIXTH—One mile and 70 yards; the Westweso; purse, $800; allowances; 4-year-olds and upward.
The Thrush, 105 (Eccard) 6.00 3.60 2.80
Weekly Stipend, 100 (Hanks) 6.20 3.80
Casinghead, 107 (Krovitz) 3.00
Whipowill, Sun Capture, Khar Fair, Virginia J., Fore also ran. Time, 1:44.

SEVENTH (original second)—Six furlongs; purse, $600; claiming; 3-year-old maidens and winners of one race.
Carnival Time, 111 (K'lts) 22.60 8.60 5.40
Peggy Byrd, 110 (Richard) 3.00 2.80
Viernes Santo, 111 (Keiser) 6.20
Charlotte O., Hot Or Cold, La Rogers, Royal Nation, Mriody Tone, *Oil Boom, *Wilmington, *Banner Witch, Quenna also ran. Time, 1:15. *Field.

Blair Defeated By Roosevelt In Close Game

Suburbanites Bow 25 to 21; Many Throws Missed

Roosevelt High School cage team defeated the Montgomery-Blair quintet yesterday, 25 to 31, in a closely contested game in the latter's gym. The Riders managed to stay in front of the host team throughout the game by a slim margin.

Lanky Ernie Travis led theattack for Roosevelt with 8 points. The fine floor work of Capt. Billy Robertson, nephew of Clark Griffith, kept the Riders working a smooth attack most of the game. Phil Mason played an outstanding game for Montgomery-Blair, and was the spearhead of attack which threatened the Riders in the last quarter.

Both teams were off on their shots with Roosevelt missing half of its free tosses. The game was witnessed by a capacity student crowd.

Blair.	G	FG	P	Roosevelt.	G	FG	P
McKay, f	1	4	6	West, f	1	1	3
Skinner, f	0	0	0	Miller, f	0	0	0
Mason, f	3	2	8	B.Rob'son, f	1	2	4
Kelly, f	0	0	0	Goodman, f	0	0	0
Norris, c	1	3	5	Travis, c	4	0	8
Ballard, g	0	0	0	Henkin, c	0	0	0
Shetterly, g	1	0	2	Perlo, g	2	2	6
Tabbutt, g	0	0	0	J.Rob'son, g	0	0	0
Bacon, g	0	0	0	Zuras, g	0	0	0
				F.Rob'son, g	0	0	0
Totals	6	9	21	Totals	9	7	25

Referee—O'Meara.

Hialeah Park Entries With Marvel Ratings

FIRST RACE—Three furlongs; purse, $800; 2-year-old maidens, colts and geldings; nursery course.

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C. F. Jacobsen New President Of Metro. Bank

O. H. P. Johnson, Whom He Succeeds, Becomes Chairman of the Board

At the organization meeting of the directors of the National Metropolitan Bank yesterday afternoon, C. F. Jacobsen, executive vice president, was elected president to succeed O. H. P. Johnson, who becomes chairman of the board. Mr. Johnson was elected president last November after the death of George W. White. At that time Mr. Jacobsen, who was cashier and a director, was made executive vice president.

Born in Washington, Mr. Jacobsen attended the public schools and was graduated from the Emerson Institute. He started his banking career in Baltimore but soon came to Washington. Prior to becoming executive vice president, he was cashier of the National Metropolitan Bank for 21 years.

Other officers elected were A. A. Hoehling and F. E. Hildebrand, vice presidents; Stanley D. Willis, trust officer; R. P. Hollingsworth, S. W. Burwell, H. A. Kertz and Thomas H. Reynolds, assistant trust officers; H. F. Stokes, cashier; G. H. Bright, C. L. Eckloff and R. E. Briggs, assistant cashiers, and F. V. N. Cook, auditor.

Wash. L. & T. $2 Extra

In addition to the usual quarterly dividend of $2 per share, the directors of the Washington Loan and Trust Co., at the organization meeting of the board yesterday declared an extra dividend of like amount. According to President Harry G. Meem, both dividends will be payable on February 1 to stockholders of record January 21. No transfers of stock will be made thereafter until February 1. Mr. Meem also stated that this will be the 186th consecutive dividend paid by the company since its establishment in 1889.

The following officers were re-elected: Arthur Peter, chairman of the board; Harry G. Meem, president; vice presidents: Charles H. Doing, William H. Baden, Alfred H. Lawson and George M. Fisher; assistant treasurers: James M. Mason, Randolph Endicott, Norman E. Towson, George O. Schweinhaut and Harry L. Smith, jr.; assistant trust officers: Leonard Marbury, Bernard L. Amiss, Harry W. Gauss and Vincent A. Sheehy, jr., and assistant real estate officers: Herbert W. Primm and Edward L. Brady.

National Savings $1

Directors of National Savings & Trust Co. have declared a dividend of $1 per share on the capital stock payable February 1, to stockholders of record, January 23.

Union Trust Co.

Ord Preston was re-elected president of the Union Trust Co. at the annual organization meeting of the directors yesterday. George E. Hamilton was elected vice president, attorney and trust officer; George E. Fleming, vice president and assistant trust officer; Edward L. Hillyer, vice president and assistant trust officer; W. Frank D. Herron, vice president; S. William Miller, treasurer; G. Elmer Flather and Harry F. Harding, assistant treasurers; Irving Zirpel, secretary; J. Wesley Clampitt, jr., assistant trust officer and assistant secretary; Willard G. McGraw, assistant trust officer; George E. Hamilton, jr., assistant attorney, and Walter M. McCurdy, auditor.

Second National

Victor B. Deyber was again named chairman of the board at the organization meeting of the Second National Bank; John A. Reilly, president; William M. Hannay, vice president; Jacob Scharf, executive vice president; Julius E. Loh, vice president; Edward F. Colladay, counsel and trust officer; William B. Wolf, assistant trust officer; Frederick S. Beyer, cashier; Joseph R. Fitzpatrick, Gerald E. Keene and Stuart S. Ogilvie, assistant cashiers; John E. Higgins, controller.

Liberty National

M. F. Calnan was again chosen president of the Liberty National Bank at the annual election of officers yesterday. Other officers elected were J. B. Skinner, vice president; W. T. Vandoren, vice president and cashier; John M. O'Brien, assistant

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Heads Bank

Edmonston Studio.

C. F. JACOBSEN
president of The National Metropolitan Bank, elected yesterday

Socony-Vacuum Buys 98 Stations From Freedom Oil

New York, Jan. 11 (AP).—Socony-Vacuum Oil Co., Inc., announced today that it had purchased from Freedom Oil Co., of Freedom, Pa., all that company's distributing facilities and outlets in Pittsburgh and western Pennsylvania. Ohio properties were not bought, nor was Freedom's Pennsylvania Refinery, the company added.

One bulk station, about 97 controlled retail outlets, and the "good will" of several hundred dealers was involved in the transaction, the purchase price of which was not disclosed.

The facilities in the sale distribute from 7,000,000 to 9,000,000 gallons of gasoline a year, Socony officials said.

Power Consumption Rebounds to Peak

New York, Jan. 11 (AP).—Consumption of electric energy in the United States recovered its stride after a year-end stumble, the Edison Electric Institute reported today.

Output in the past week advanced to 2,169,470,000 kilowatt hours from 2,120,555,000 in the preceding week, a gain of 2.3 per cent. The total was 1.4 per cent over 2,139,582,000 in the first week of 1938. The advance was more than seasonally expected and the Associated Press index of power production returned to its 1938-39 high of 117.2 per cent of the 1929-30 average.

Listed Bond Values Gain in December

New York, Jan. 11 (AP).—A total of 1,393 bond issues listed in the New York Stock Exchange as of December 31 had a market value of $47,053,034,224, an average price per $1,000 face value bond of $912.70, the exchange reported today.

At the end of November, 1,389 issues were listed having a market value of $45,441,652,321, averaging $903.40 per $1,000 face value.

Wheat Prices Rally After Fall of Week

Maximum Gain 1 Cent Higher at Liverpool; Corn Also Advances

By the Associated Press.

Chicago, Jan. 11.—The past week's wheat price slump was halted today as a result of market strength that originated abroad.

Gains of ⅝ to 1 cent in wheat quotations at Liverpool stimulated scattered buying in the pit here. Although purchasing was not large, it was enough to bring about gains of as much as ½ cent in quotations in view of meager selling interest remaining in the market after the steady decline of the previous six sessions.

The unsettled political situation in Europe was mentioned for the first time in weeks as a possible factor in the grain trade. Most of the dealings consisted of small lots and price fluctuations were confined to a range of ⅝ cent, one of the narrowest markets in some time, which indicated the lack of interest in all quarters.

Wheat closed unchanged to ½ higher than Tuesday; May, 69⅛@69; July, 69½@69⅝. Corn ⅛@½ up; May, 52⅞@53; July, 54. Oats ⅛ lower to ⅛ higher. Rye unchanged to ¼ up. Lard unchanged to 5 lower.

Future Price Range

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat:				
March	68½	68½	68½	68½
May	69	69⅝	69	69⅛
July	69⅝	69½	69⅛	69½
September	70⅛	70⅝	70⅛	70⅝
Corn:				
March	52⅛	52½	52½	52½
May	52¾	53¼	52¾	52⅞
July	53⅞	54⅛	53⅞	54
September	54⅛	55¼	54⅛	55
Oats:				
May	29¾	29⅞	29¾	29¾
July	28⅝	28½	28⅜	28½
September	28¼	28¼	28¼	28¼
Soy Beans:				
May	83¼	83⅜	83⅛	83¼
July	83¾	84¼	83¾	84¼
Rye:				
May	47¼	47¼	47	47
July	47⅛	48	47⅜	47⅛
September	48¾	48¾	48⅝	48½
Lard:				
January	6.52	6.52	6.52	6.52
March	7.10	7.10	7.10	7.10
May	7.27	7.27	7.22	7.22
July	7.45	7.45	7.42	7.42

Cash Grain Prices

WHEAT—Sample grade red, 67.

CORN—No. 2 mixed (mostly white), 55; No. 2 yellow, 53⅛@53¾.

OATS—Sample grade mixed, 25; No. 1 white, 33½; sample grade white, 27½@30½.

SOY BEANS—No. 3 yellow, 84⅛.

BARLEY—Illinois maltina, 50@63; Illinois feed, 35@42.

SEED—Timothy, 2.85@3.15; red clover, 13.00@16.00; red top, 8.75@9.25.

United Makes 25,000 Coast-to-Coast Flights

Chicago, Jan. 11.—United Air Lines completed its 25,000th coast-to-coast flight over the New York-Chicago-California airway today to establish an international record for long distance day and night flight, according to W. A. Patterson, president.

The total since service was inaugurated in 1927 represents about 66,000,000 miles of coast-to-coast flying. A total of 812,117 passengers, 35,648,122 pounds of air mail and 7,366,149 pounds of air express were carried on the 25,000 coast-to-coast hops.

Montreal Silver Futures

Montreal, Jan. 11 (AP).—Silver futures closed unchanged. No sales. Bid, January, 40.50.

The Market

By C. Norman Stabler,
A Special Correspondent.

Steady Selling Pushes Stocks Lower Wall Street Opinion Continues Disturbed Bond Market Drifts to Lower Level

New York, Jan. 11.—Feeble firmness displayed by the stock list Tuesday disappeared today and from the opening it was apparent that today would be a day of selling. The opening was lower and from that time on the question was how large would be the figures carried behind the minus signs. Actually there was no unusual pressure to sell and as a result the decline in the composite average was not sensational, amounting to 0.84 point. Moreover trading was not great, amounting to less than a million shares.

The continuation of the current decline, however, left Wall Street in a disturbed state of mind. Traders have been setting on the sidelines, waiting for some cheerful news from business and from Washington, where they hope to see some beneficial resistance on the port of Congress to the New Deal's plans of spending. Partial success has been seen on both fronts but as yet it is not sufficient to restore confidence. There is evidence that the legislative branch of the Government will limit expenditures for relief, but this is only a small part of the battle, not sufficient in itself to place the finances of the country on a sound basis. The business reports of the first week or two of the new year show a resistance to normal seasonal influences but again they indicate no great bulge.

The result today was a continuation of the irregular tendency which has been apparent since the first of the year. Declines in the speculative leaders were greater than on the previous days this month but the bullish forces noted that the ease with which prices receded was not accompanied by any great outburst in activity. Losses of from 1 to 4 points were numerous among the pivotal stocks and no group was able to stand out against the course of least resistance. Among the chief sufferers were the steels, rails, motors and equipments, which are the groups which had been the most prominent in the rally which closed 1938.

Sixth Decline

From the standpoint of the chartists, the action of the market is not pleasing. The setback today meant the sixth decline this year out of the eight sessions of trading. At the low point today, the composite average of 100 representative stocks had fallen back to the level of December 22, which was the day the year-end mark up started. Buying from that date to the close of 1938 was regarded as largely a window-dressing affair, in order to make portfolios look better in the annual reports. At the day's low, the market had retraced 64 per cent of the gain made on the recent upswing. This upswing covered the period from November 28 to January 4.

The street read with interest today the accounts of the hearing before the Senate committee which is examining Harry Hopkins, former WPA Administrator, who has been named Secretary of Commerce by the President. The post is an an important one to the financial interests of the country and in the financial district today there was considerable wonder expressed at the amazing lack of memory on the part of Mr. Hopkins when he was asked whether he had enrolled in the Socialist Party in 1914. The former WPA Administrator could not recollect.

United States Rubber was the most active of today's stocks and sold off 2¾ points. Loft again gave ground and Steel was a weak feature, dropping 2. Chrysler was off nearly 4 points. Sperry advanced, moving against the trend of the other aviations.

Bonds Work Lower

Listed bonds today followed the example of the equities section and drifted quietly lower in an idle market. United States Treasury bonds and best grade corporate issues were not much affected, but the more speculative groups showed sizable losses at the end of the day. Many of the speculative rails were off 1 to 2 points and other special groups also declined. Foreign dollar bonds took the easy course downward. Trading in all issues was $6,460,000, which is far under normal.

Long-term United States Treasury issues showed gains to 3-32 point and losses to 4.32 point, with the downward movements taking place in the more indicative issues. Guaranteed bonds of the farm and home corporations were better maintained than direct Treasury issues. Small fractional declines were the rule among best rated utility, railroad and industrial bonds.

Secondary rail bonds were not pressed on the market but dealings were extremely thin, and even small offerings sufficed to depress levels decidedly. Recessions of a point or more were numerous in this important group. Default carrier bonds were idle and lower. Local traction bonds and communications issues were uneven, with the more active bonds slightly down. Industrial convertibles suffered because of the drop in related equities, and similar influences lowered rail and utility holding bonds.

Latin-American default bonds were marked downward, after a long upswing occasioned by the Lima conference results. Recessions were fractional in most instances, but some of the Colombian and Uruguayan bonds fell more than a point.

15 Most Active Stocks

Special Dispatch to The Post.

New York, Jan. 11.—The 15 most active Stock Exchange issues today were:

	Volume.	Close.	Net Ch.
U. S. Rubber	29,300	45⅛	—2⅜
Loft	21,000	9⅜	— ⅛
U. S. Steel	19,100	65	—2
N. Y. Central	13,000	19½	— ⅛
Chrysler	12,200	75⅜	—3⅞
Anaconda	11,500	32⅜	— ⅜
Gen. Motors	11,500	47	—1⅜
Sperry Corp.	11,400	43¾	+ ⅝
No. Amer. Aviat.	11,300	17⅜	+ ⅛
Beth. Steel	11,000	74½	—2
Bendix Aviat.	10,900	25⅝	— ⅜
Bald. Loco.	10,200	14½	— ⅛
United Aire.	10,000	37	— ⅜
Gen. Electric	9,300	40½	— ⅜
Radio	8,900	7⅛	....

Volume, 15 stocks, 200,600 shares.
Ratio to total volume, 21.9 per cent.

Security Averages

Stocks	50 Ind.	20 RRs.	20 Util.	90 Stks.
Yesterday	123.6	31.6	65.1	99.8
Previous day	125.9	32.6	66.5	101.8
Week ago	130.3	34.7	66.5	105.0
Month ago	123.5	29.2	61.5	98.7
Year ago	116.9	33.8	62.1	94.9
Two years ago	167.3	59.0	101.5	139.6
High, 1938	136.1	34.3	70.7	109.5
Low, 1938	83.6	20.1	45.2	67.5
High, 1937	180.3	67.5	104.7	148.3
Low, 1937	96.9	29.8	55.9	80.7

Bonds	20 Ind.	20 RRs.	20 Util.	60 Buds.
Yesterday	86.3	60.4	99.6	82.1
Previous day	86.5	60.9	99.8	82.4
Week ago	86.6	61.3	99.8	82.6
Month ago	85.8	57.4	98.6	80.6
Year ago	83.0	69.6	95.0	82.5
Two years ago	94.7	100.8	105.7	100.4
High, 1938	87.3	70.0	99.7	83.0
Low, 1938	74.9	47.9	87.3	70.7
High, 1937	95.0	101.2	106.0	100.7
Low, 1937	80.1	69.3	92.3	81.1

(1926 average equals 100)

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Lloyd Heads Washington Credit Men

Little, Vice President; Mallonee Elected to Board of Directors

Humphrey Lloyd, secretary-treasurer of Washington Properties, was elected president of the Washington Association of Credit Men at the annual meeting held yesterday at the Association's headquarters. Mr. Lloyd served for the previous year as vice president and for the two years before that as director and chairman of several committees. Prior to becoming associated with Washington Properties, he was a practicing certified public accountant in New York City. He is also secretary of the local branch of the Controllers Institute of America.

William R. Little, auditor of the Evening Star, was elected vice president. The Association re-elected the following to its board of directors: George B. Hoey, of Lyon, Conklin Co.; R. M. Harper, of the Smoot Sand & Gravel Corporation; G. H. Markward, of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co.; Joseph Reichgut, of the Maloney Concrete Co., and A. L. Mallonee, of the W. R. Winslow Co., was elected to fill a vacancy. Stuart S. Ogilvie, retiring president, made an address in which he reviewed the progress of the past year.

Prudential Building

Shareholders of the Prudential Building Association at the annual meeting yesterday were told by E. J. Carlson, secretary, that 1938 was the best year recorded in the history of the organization. He reported that the assets reached a new high of $2,636,000 with surplus and reserves totaling $136,000. Luther C. Steward was named president of Prudential for the tenth consecutive time while other officers re-elected were: Curtis Walker, vice president; John B. Colpoys, vice president; E. J. Carlson, secretary-treasurer; C. H. Boyse, assistant secretary-treasurer, and Harvey L. Cobb, attorney.

Directors appointed were T. Howard Duckett, Thomas E. Hampton, Thomas D. Lewis, F. Eliot Middleton and Messrs. Steward, Colpoys, Cobb, Walker and Carlson.

The American Company

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of The American Co., realtors, held yesterday, the following directors were re-elected: Charles G. Abbot, George W. Harris, James M. Johnston, Harry King, Frank T. Mitchell, Vernon G. Owen, John Poole, James Brown Scott, Leon Tobriner and L. Perry West. John Poole, president, reported that the 5 per cent cumulative dividend on the preferred stock was earned and paid, although the new company only began business on March 1, 1938.

The organization meeting is scheduled for Friday at which time it is expected that the present officers will be re-elected, namely: John Poole, president; Leon Tobriner, vice president and general counsel; John W. Fisher, secretary and treasurer, and Nathan Poole, assistant secretary and assistant treasurer.

This company, which was organized under the laws of Delaware, succeeded to all of the business of The Federal-American Co. A statement of assets and liabilities, as reported to the stockholders at the annual meeting, showed a net worth of approximately $700,000.

Home Building Association

Organized in 1883, shareholders of the Home Building Association met last night to select officers and di-

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Money Markets

Foreign Exchange

New York, Jan. 11 (AP).—Closing rates follow: Great Britain in dollars, others in cents.

Demand Rates

Great Britain	4.67	60-day bills	4.66⅞
Montreal in New York	99.12½	Yugoslavia	2.34
		Netherlands	54.39
New York in Montreal	100.87½	Norway	23.43
		Poland	18.93
Belgium	16.89	Portugal	4.24⅛
Czecho-vakia	3.43	Rumania	.75
Denmark	20.82	Sweden	24.01
Finland	2.08	Switzerland	22.60
France	2.63⅜	*Argentina	31.14
Germany	40.09	*Brazil (free)	5.90
Benevolent	23.35	*Mexico City	20.15
Travel	23.25	Japan	27.26
Greece	.86	Hongkong	29.24
Hungary	19.85	Shanghai	16.35
Italy	5.26⅛		

*Nominal.

New York

Bar silver, 42¾, unchanged.

London

Money, ½ per cent. Discount rates: short and 3-month bills, ⅝ per cent.

Bar gold, 148s 10d, off 2 pence. (Equivalent, $34.77.)

Bar silver, 20⅛d, unchanged. (Equivalent, 42.71 cents.)

Paris

In the bourse 3 per cent rentes were 84.00 francs; 4½s "A", 89.50; 4½s 1937, 154.10.

Local Stocks

Sales—Regular Call:

Washington Gas 5s, 1960, $1,000 at 126½, $1,000 at 126½.

After Call:

Washington Ry & Elec 4s, $1,000 at 109.
Washington Gas Light pfd., 5 at 106½.

Bonds	Bid.	Asked.
Public Utilities		
Anacostia & Pot 5s	82	87
Ana & Pot guar 5s	110	....
Cap Traction R R 5s	83	87
City & Suburban 5s	82½	88
Georgetown Gas 1st 5s	118	....
Pot Elec Pow 3½s	108	....
Washington Gas 5s 1960	124	127
Wash Rwy & Elec 4s	109	110
Miscellaneous		
Chevy Chase Club 1st 4½s	104	....
Col Country Club 1st 4½s	103	....
Ter Ref & Wh Corp 1st 4½s	103	....
Stocks		
Public Utilities		
Amer Tel & Tel (9)	*150¾	....
Capital Transit Co	6¾	7¼
Liberty (8)	†173	200
Lincoln (f) (5)	198	....
Rizzs (e) (8)	*265	275
Rizzs pfd (5)	*100	....
Washington (6)	125	....
Trust Companies		
Amer Sec & Tr Co (s) (8)	250	265
Nat'l Say & Tr	198	210
Prince Geo Bk & Tr (.60)	19	23
Wash Loan & Tr (s) (8)	225	240
Savings Banks		
Bank of Bethesda (75)	26	34
Com & Savings (f) (10)	265	....
Fire Insurance		
American (16)	120	....
Firemen's (1.20)	28	....
National Union (.75)	13	....
Title Insurance		
Columbia (k) (30)	12	....
Real Estate (m) (6)	160	....
Miscellaneous		
Carpel Corp †(2.00)	28	....
Lanston Monotype (4)	55	62
Lincoln Serv com (1.00)	†19	24
Lincoln Serv pr pf (3.50)	....	51
Merzenthaler Lino (p)	20½	23
Peoples Drug S com ½(1.00)	28	30
Peoples Drug S pfd (6.50)	111	....
Rizzs Ent M & O pfd (.45)	4¼	5½
Security Storage (5)	112	125
Ter Ref & Wh Corp (2)	62	68
Wdwd & Lothrop com(2.00)	30	35
Wdwd & Lothrop pfd (7)	120	....

*Ex dividend.
†Plus extras.
(e) 2% extra.
(f) 2½% extra.
(g) 1¼ extra paid December 20, 1938.
(h) 75 cents extra.
(k) 70 cents extra.
(m) $3 extra.
(p) 50 cents paid September 20, 1938.
(s) 82 paid in 1938.

U. S. Treasury Receipts

By the Associated Press.

The position of the Treasury January 9: Receipts, $21,816,573.99; expenditures, $35,799,764.95; net balance, $3,031,646,262.24, including $2,393,204,492.82 working balance. Customs receipts for the month, $6,739,503.85.

Receipts for the fiscal year (since July 1), $3,030,995,190.73; expenditures, $4,781,223,101.54, including $1,582,551,781.25 of emergency expenditures; excess of expenditures, $1,750,207,910.79. Gross debt, $36,511,318,466.83, an increase of $8,771,501.18 above the previous day. Gold assets, $14,068,690,726.16.

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The Day's Movements In Leading Markets

Stocks	Wed.	Tues.
Advances	93	316
Declines	575	236
Unchanged	127	191
Total issues	795	743

Lower with selling of steels and motors; volume, 915,690.

Bonds

Railroad issues yield; transfers, $6,494,000.

Curb

Generally lower; turnover, 166,000.

Commodities

Wheat, cotton and sugar higher; coffee lower.

Exchange

Fairly steady; Great Britain, $4.67; France, 2.63⅜ cents.

Cotton Advances 1 to 11 Points

By the Associated Press.

New York, Jan. 11.—Rallying modestly under a good demand for new crop positions, the cotton market closed today at gains of 1 to 11 points. Demand for distant positions animated trading in the last hour, although final prices were under the day's best.

Additional supporting influences were trade price fixing orders in near positions and buying by Liverpool. The continent and other foreign sources were reported as sellers. Gossip in cotton boardrooms suggested a lessening of recent concern over possibility of Government action in the cotton program that might put pressure on the price structure.

Business in cotton goods continued at a moderate level. Prices were reported slightly easier on some fabrics, but at the close most concessions had been withdrawn.

Futures Price Range

	High.	Low.	Close.
January	8.29	8.23	8.25
March	8.33	8.28	8.30
May	8.09	8.03	8.06
July	7.85	7.78	7.81
October	7.43	7.32	7.40
December	7.45	7.36	7.44

Closings—February, †8.27; April, †8.19; June, †7.94; August, †7.68; September, †7.34; November, †7.42.

†Nominal.

Spot, nominal; middling, 8.80.

Cottonseed Oil

Cottonseed oil futures again chalked up new season's lows in irregular trade today. Offerings were light early, but commission house liquidation increased. Final prices were 1 to 4 points net lower on sales of 221 lots. January closed 7.12 bid; March, 7.20 bid; May, 7.28 bid; July, 7.36. Crude oil remained inactive at 6@6½ cents in the Southeast and valley and 5½@6 in Texas.

Stock Seat $69,000, Advance of $1,000

New York, Jan. 11 (AP).—In the second sale of the year, a seat on the New York Stock Exchange was transferred today for $69,000, an increase of $1,000 over the previous transaction.

The price of exchange memberships in 1938-1939 ranged from $31,000 on June 15 to $85,000 July 13.

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Transactions on N. Y. Bond Market

By the Associated Press.

Total bond sales yesterday, $6,494,000; previous day, $6,284,9 00; week ago, $9,459,750; year ago, $7,540,500; two years ago, $19,839,000; January 1 to date, $58,620,125; year ago, $58,761,9 75; two years ago, $154,974,000.

Range of United States Government Issues

(Sales in $1,000. Dollars and 32ds.)

1939 High.	1939 Low.	Jan. 11 Sales.		High.	Low.	Last.	Net Change.	Closing Bid.	Closing Ask.	Yield.
106.27	104.13	1	Treasury 3¾s, 1943-40 June	105	105	105	....	103	105.2	....
108.2	106.16	1	Treasury 3½s, 1943-41 March	106.25	106.25	106.25	....	106.25	106.27	.21
110.25	107.18	1	Treasury 3¼s, 1947-43	110.2	110.2	110.2	+ .3	110.2	110.4	1.03
110.5	107.2	11	Treasury 3¼s, 1945-43	110.1	109.30	110.1	+ .3	110.1	110.3	1.06
110.5	107	1	Treasury 3¼s, 1946-44	110.4	110.4	110 4	+ .1	110.5	110.7	1.23
114.24	111.22	4	Treasury 4s, 1954-44	114.18	114.18	114.18	— .2	114.19	114.22	1.41
107.13	103.23	5	Treasury 2¾s, 1947-45	107.13	107.10	107.10	— .2	107.10	107.12	1.58
106.20	102.14	1	Treasury 2½s, 1945	106.18	106.18	106.18	+ .1	106.15	106.17	1.51
119.8	116.4	1	Treasury 4¼s, 1952-47	119.4	119.4	119.4	— .4	119.5	119.8	1.86
102.30	99.18	35	Treasury 2½s, 1953-49	102.27	102.23	102.24	— .4	102.24	102.26	2.20
107.17	103.26	2	Treasury 3s, 1955-51	107.12	107.11	107.11	— .2	107.12	107.14	2.31
104.26	101.24	27	Treasury 2¾s, 1960-55	104.24	104.21	104.22	....	104.21	104.24	2.51
103.21	100.14	2	Treasury 2¾s, 1959-56	103.19	103.19	103 19	....	103.17	103.19	2.49
102.31	102.7	13	Treasury 2¾s, 1965-60	102.28	102.25	102.26	— .1	102.25	102.27	2.57
103.2	100.6	16	Treasury 2¾s, 1963-58	103	102.31	103	+ .2	102.30	103	2.55
106.18	103.22	1	Fed. Farm Mtg. 3s, 1947-42	106	106	106	— .2	106.2	106.4	.83
107.13	103.28	1	Fed. Farm Mtg. 2¼s, 1964-44	107.12	107.12	107.12	....	107.1	107.14	1.74
107.5	103.4	9	Fed. Farm Mtg. 3s, 1949-44	107.5	107.5	107.5	+ .3	107.4	107.5	1.59
103.13	101.9	1	Home Own. Loan 2¾s, 1949-39	102.15	102.15	102.15	+ .5	102.13	102.15	....
104.15	101.5	12	Home Own. Loan 2½s, 1944-42	104.14	104.12	104.12	+ .1	104.12	104.14	.94

CORPORATION BONDS

Sales in thousands.	High	Low	Close
A			
9 Alleghany cv 5 '44	82	81½	81½
12 Alleghany cv 5 '49	71½	71	71
4 †Alleghany 5 '50 st	37	36½	36½
50 Allis Chalm cv 4 '52	110½	109	110½
3 Am & F P 5 2030	52¼	52¼	52¼
6 Am I G C cv 5½ '49	101¾	101¾	101¾
30 Am T & T 5½ '43	112	111¾	112
19 Am T & T 3¼ '96	106¾	106½	106¾
42 Anacon Cop 4½ '50	105¾	105½	105¾
15 Arm Del 4 '55	98½	98	98
10 A T & S F 4 '95	109	108¾	108¾
4 A T & S F cv 4½ '48	101¾	101¾	101¾
B			
16 B & O rfg 6 '95	21½	20½	20¾
56 B & O cv 4½ '60	12½	11¾	11¾
16 B & O 5 '49	56½	56	56½
3 Bell T Pa 5 '48 B	118¼	117¾	117¾
60 Beth Bll 3½ '52	100	99¾	99¾
6 Bost & Me 5 '67	27¾	27	27¾
9 Buf R & P 4½ '57	29	28	28
C			
5 Can Nat Ry 4½ '56	115¾	113¾	115¾
4 Can Pac 4½ '60	91¾	91¾	91¾
6 Can Pac 4 perp	81¾	81½	81½
2 Cen Ill E&G 5 '51	103¾	103¾	103¾
5 Cen Pac 5 '60	59	59	59
3 Cen Pac 1st 4 '49	75	75	75
1 Certain-td 5½ '48	79½	79½	79¼
9 C & O 3½ '96 D	97½	97¾	97½
4 C & O rfg 3½ '96 E	97½	97½	97½
2 C B & Q 3½ Ill '49	99½	99½	99½
16 †Chi & E Ill 5 '51	21	20½	20½
17 †Ch Gt West 4 '59	23½	22¾	22¾
87 †C M S P&P 5 '75	10¾	9⅝	9⅝
3 †CM&P&P 5l 2000	3	2	2
36 †C & NW cv 4½ '49	5	5	5
3 †CRI & P 4½ '32A	8¾	8½	8¾
1 †C R I&P rfs 4 '34	7½	7½	7½
6 Ch & W Ind 4 '32	90	89½	89¾
4 Clev U Ter 4½ '77C	78½	75	75½
21 Col G & E 5½ '52	45	42½	42½
14 Colmb G 5 '52 May	95½	95¼	95¼
24 Colmbia G 5 '61	95	95	95
5 Com'l Cred 2¾ '42	103½	103	103
1 Com'l In Tr 3½ '51	106¾	106¾	106¾
3 Comwlth Ed 4 '81	106¾	106¾	106¾
22 Con Edis 3½ '46	106¼	106	106
20 Con Oil cv 3½ '51	104¼	104	104
8 Consum Pow 3½ '70	106¾	106¾	106¾
5 Cuba No Ry 5½ '45	33	33	33
D			
14 Del & Hud rfs 4 '43	62¼	62	62
1 †D & R G 4 '36	12½	12½	13¾
6 Duquesne L 3½ '65	111¼	111	111
E			
29 Elec Auto L cv 4 '53	106¾	106	106
55 †Erie rfg 5 '67	13	12½	12½
41 †Erie rfs 5 '75	13	13½	12½
11 †Erie gen lien 4 '96	20¾	20	20¾
F			
8 †Fla E Cst 5 '74	9

Lloyd Heads Washington Credit Men

Little, Vice President: Mallonee Elected to Board of Directors

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rectors. The entire slate consisting of the 1938 personnel was unanimously elected. They were Fred L. Vogt, president; R. L. Quigley, vice president; C. Edward Beckett, vice president; James Morris Woodward, secretary; Otto Hermann, assistant secretary, and William K. Reeve, treasurer. Directors named were Charles G. Flemming, Luther W. Linkins, A. Lynn McDowell, Dr. George B. Roth, Bright R. Sonen and Stanley D. Willis. Trustees re-elected were Charles L. Norris and Otto Hermann.

Neal on Terminal Board

Alfred G. Neal, vice president and general manager of the Potomac Electric Power Co., was elected a director in the Terminal Refrigerating & Warehousing Corporation at the annual meeting of the stockholders yesterday.

The following members were re-elected: Clarence Aspinwall, Wrisley Brown, Charles A. Carry, Appleton P. Clark, jr., G. W. Forsberg, William M. Hannay, William, D. Hoover, Ralph W. Lee, Robert D. Marshall, Clarence F. Norment, Fred Ophuls, Simeon T. Price, William P. Reeves and Lloyd B. Wilson.

Northeast Building

The annual statement of the Northeast Building Association discloses assets in excess of $1,314,000. During the 22 years of the association's existence dividends of more than $400,000 have been paid to the members.

Industrial Bankers

The Southeastern Industrial Bankers, Inc., with which are affiliated more than a dozen low rate industrial loan companies in the District of Columbia, Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia, has declared a dividend of 7 per cent on preferred stock, payable January 17.

Fifth District Sales Fall Below Year Ago

Richmond, Va., Jan. 11 (AP).—Department store sales in the Fifth Federal Reserve District in December averaged 1 per cent more in dollars than December, 1937, sales but sales for the entire year showed a decrease of 3 per cent under 1937 sales, the Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond reported today. Washington sales showed a decrease of 1.0 per cent.

The following percentage decreases were recorded by other cities: Baltimore, 5.8; Charleston, W. Va., 7.2; Huntington, 10.7; Lynchburg, Va., 3.7; Richmond, Va., 0.3; Winston-Salem, N. C., was the only city in the district to show a gain in sales for 1938, recording an increase of 0.1 per cent.

December Gold Imports Total $240,542,296

The Commerce Department said yesterday that $240,542,296 gold came into the United States in December, continuing the heavy inflow which began during the Czecho-Slovakian crisis in September.

December imports included $37,394,653 from France, $46,184,931 from the Netherlands, $101,713,844 from England and $17,709,672 from Argentina. The month's silver imports aggregated $21,532,581.

Reserve District No. 5.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

Industrial Bank,

Of Washington, in the District of Columbia, at the close of business on December 1, 1938, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes

ASSETS.

1.	Loans and discounts (including $2.00 overdrafts)	$319,418.36
2.	United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	92,552.28
3.	Obligations of States and political subdivisions	3,015.00
4.	Other bonds, notes, and debentures	174,299.20
6.	Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	144,298.28
7.	Bank premises owned, $36,-914.00; furniture and fixtures, $2,220.19	39,134.19
11.	Other assets	62.90
12.	Total assets	$772,780.21

LIABILITIES

13.	Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	$397,417.11
14.	Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	300,347.02
15.	Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	48,309.04
18.	Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	5,975.18
19.	Total deposits, $662,048.35	
23.	Other liabilities	6,764.41
24.	Total liabilities	$668,812.76

CAPITAL ACCOUNT.

25.	Capital stock: (c) Common, total par, $10, 5,000 shares	$50,000.00
26.	Surplus	20,000.00
27.	Undivided profits	20,735.14
28.	Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	13,232.31
29.	Total capital account	$103,967.45
30.	Total liabilities and capital account	$772,780.21

MEMORANDA.

31.	Pledged assets (and securities loaned): (book value): (a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	$51,136.97
	(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	18,297.50
	(c) Total	$69,454.47
32.	Secured liabilities: (a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	$43,000.00
	(d) Total	$43,000.00

District of Columbia, City of Washington, ss:

I, B. DOYLE MITCHELL, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

B. DOYLE MITCHELL, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of January, 1939.

(Seal.) KATHERINE A. TIGNOR, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

TALLEY R. HOLMES,
ISAAC S. MASON,
H. B. JORDAN,
W. H. COWAN,
THOMAS W. PARKE,
B. P. ARRINGTON,
JESSE H. MITCHELL,
Directors.

Complete Transactions Yesterday on New York Stock Exchange

By the Associated Press.

Total stock sales yesterday, 915,690 shares; previous day, 713,150; week ago, 1,500,760; year ago, 1,209,800; two years ago, 3,081,740; January 1 to date 8,536,600; year ago, 10,594,210; two years ago 23,444,860.

1939-38 High	Low	Name and Dividend Rate	Sales—Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
		A					
61	36¼	Abbott Lab (1.60a)	2	57½	57½	57½	— ⅝
32	28	Acme Stl (1)	1	42½	42½	42½	— 2½
12⅝	6¼	Adams Exp (.20e)	14	10⅝	10¼	10¼	— ⅜
30	16⅝	Addressor (1.40)	2	26¼	26	26	— ⅝
67⅞	40	Air Reduction (1a)	11	61⅛	61	61⅛	— ⅛
1⅜	⅝	Air-Way El Appl	3	1	1	1	—
13⅜	8¼	Alaska Juneau (1)	8	10	9⅞	9⅞	— ⅛
1⅝	⅞	Alleghany Corp	3	1	1	1	—
17⅞	6¼	Alleghany pf 830 ww	5	12⅛	12¼	12⅜	— ⅜
21½	7¾	Alleghany pr pf	1	16	16	16	— 1
29¾	14⅝	Alleshany-Lud Stl	25	25	24⅝	24⅝	— 1⅛
14½	4½	Allen Industries	4	10¾	10¼	10½	— ⅜
12¾	7	Allied Kid (½)	1	12⅛	12⅛	12⅛	— ⅜
14⅞	8¾	Allied Mills (¾e)	8	12⅞	12¾	12¾	— ⅛
13½	4½	Allied Strs	15	10¾	10⅛	10¾	— ⅛
70¼	38	Allied St pf (6)	1	62¼	62¼	62¼	+ ¾
46¼	34½	Allis-Ch Mfg (1½)	28	44	42¾	42¾	— ¾
23¼	10	Am Bank Note (.10g)	13	16	15⅛	15½	— 1
63	46¼	†Am Bank N pf (3)	20	58⅛	58⅛	58⅛	— ⅛
14⅜	6¾	Am Bosch	4	7¼	7¼	7⅛	— ⅛
54½	23	Am Brake Shoe (1)	8	49	46¾	47¼	— 2
105⅛	70¾	Am Can (4)	4	99¼	97⅞	97⅞	— 2
176½	160	Am Can pf (7)	1	175	175	175	+ ¾
31¼	12⅜	Am Car & Fdy	17	30⅞	30	30	— 1½
37¾	27	Am Car & F pf (2½e)	2	50	49½	49½	— ¾
24½	9½	Am Ch & Cable (.70e)	22	22¼	21	21	— 1⅛
6¾	2	Am Encaus Tiling	3	4¾	4⅜	4¾	— ⅛
5¼	2¼	Am & For Pow	18	3¼	3⅛	3⅜	— ⅛
23½	13½	Am & F P $7 pf	6	17¼	17	17	— ½
12¾	5¼	Am & F P 2 pf	1	8¼	8¼	8¼	—
13	9	Am-Hawaii SS (1)	1	15	15	15	—
3⅝	2	Am Hide & Leather	5	4¾	4½	4½	— ⅛
36	12	Am Hi & L pf (¾e)	1	30	30	30	—
20¼	13¼	Am Ice pf	2	14⅞	14¾	14¾	—
8¾	4⅛	Am International	5	7⅛	6⅞	7⅛	—
30⅝	12¾	Am Locomotive	18	27½	26½	e7	— 3¾
79½	44	Am Locomotive pf	7	73¾	70¼	73¼	— 3¾
17⅜	10	Am M & Fdy (.20g)	12	15½	15	15⅛	+ ⅛
5¼	2⅜	Am M & Met	3	4¼	4	4¼	+ ⅛
45	23	Am Metal (1e)	7	37¼	36	36⅞	— ⅛
29½	20	†Am News Co (1½g)	1	24	23¾	23⅝	— ⅛
7½	3¼	Am Pow & Lt	6	5⅛	5¾	5⅜	—
41½	16½	Am P & L $5 pf (⅝k)	4	34¼	34	34¼	— ⅛
46¼	16¾	Am Rad & St S	57	16⅝	16⅛	16⅛	— ⅛
24½	13¼	Am Roll Mill	25	20⅝	20⅛	20¼	— ⅛
80¾	58	Am Roll Mill pf	1	70	70	70	—
20⅞	12	Am Safety Razor (1.60)	6	14⅜	14	14	— ⅛
23½	7⅛	Am Seating (½e)	3	13⅛	12⅞	13⅛	— ⅛
35½	22¾	†Am Ship Bldg (2)	1.90	33¼	32½	33¼	— ⅛
58¾	28½	Am Smelt & R (1½)	17	49¼	48½	48⅝	— 1⅜
140	103	Am Smelt & R pf (7)	2	134	134	134	+ 1
63	45¾	Am Snuff Co (3a)	1	61¾	61¾	61¾	—
150	130	†Am Snuff pf (6)	1	150	150	150	—
41	15⅝	Am Stl Fdrs	34	36½	36	36	— 1⅛
11¾	6¼	Am Stores	3	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	— ⅛
31	19½	Am Sugar Ref	1	21	21	21	—
117½	82	Am Sugar pf (7)	3	90	89½	90	—
151¾	111	Am Tel & Tel (9)	11	150¾	150¼	150¾	— ⅜
88½	58	Am Tobacco (5)	3	85¾	85	85½	— ⅛
91⅝	58¾	Am Tob B (5)	5	89	88	88	— ⅝
152	130	Am Tob pf (6)	2	148	148	148	—
8½	3½	Am Type Fdrs	3	7⅞	7¾	7⅞	—
16⅛	6	Am Wat Wks	33	13½	12⅝	13⅜	—
91	68	Am W W 1 pf (6)	1	83	83	83	+ ¼
45	22¾	Am Wool pf	12	42¼	40½	41¼	— 1¾
9⅝	4¾	Am Zinc L&S	5	7	7	7	—
42⅛	21	Anaconda (⅓e)	115	33	32½	32¾	— ⅜
17⅞	10⅜	Anchor Hock Gl (.45e)	9	19⅜	19¼	19¼	— ⅛
7	3⅞	Arm Ill	19	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	—
59⅜	24¼	Armstrong Cork (¾e)	9	53	51½	51½	— 2½
13	5½	Arnold Const (⅓e)	1	10¼	10¼	10¼	— ⅜
10⅜	2½	Artloom Corp	3	9½	9	9	— ⅛
14⅞	8¾	Assd Dry Goods	8	9¼	9	9	— ⅛
44⅞	22¼	Atch T & S F	46	38½	37¼	37⅝	— 1¾
72	40	Atch T & S F pf (1g)	2	66½	66¼	66½	+ ¾
30¼	14	Atl Coast Line	16	26½	23	25¾	—
8¼	4¼	Atl G & W Indies	3	7¼	7	7	1
13	12⅜	Atl G & W Sp pf	7	14	12½	13	— 1½
27¾	17	Atl Refining (1)	5	23¼	22¾	22¾	— ⅜
9⅞	5¾	Atlas Corp (⅛e)	27	8½	8¼	8¼	— ⅛
48½	38¼	Atlas Corp pf (3)	2	44	44	44	— ¼
68	36	Atlas Pow (2¼e	1	62	62	62	— 3
127	105	†Atlas Pow pf (5)	10	127	127	127	+ ½
6½	2½	Auburn Auto	1	4	4	4	—
3¾	2	Aust Nichols	1	3¾	3¾	3¾	— ⅛
8⅞	2½	Aviation Corp (.18½e)	39	7¾	7¾	7½	—
		B					
17⅜	5	Bald Loco cl	102	15½	14½	14½	— ⅝
11	4	Balt & Ohio	13	7⅝	7⅜	7½	—
13¾	5½	Balt & Ohio pf	9	9	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
98	82	†Bangor & Ar pf (5)	40	87¼	87¼	87¼	+ ¼
23¾	12⅛	Barber Asph	10	20	19½	19½	— ⅛
21⅜	10⅜	Barnsdall Oil (1)	15	18	17⅝	17⅞	— ⅛
21⅜	9	Barnsk Cigar (¾a)	14	19⅜	19¼	19⅜	— ⅛
9	5¾	Belding-Hem (⅝e)	2	7½	7½	7½	—
83	67	Belg N B pf (3.30e)	1	72⅜	72⅜	72⅜	+ 1¼
30½	8¾	Bendix Aviat	109	26¼	25⅜	25⅝	— ¼
21	15¼	Benef Ind Ln (1.65e)	3	19⅜	19¼	19¼	— ⅛
56	26⅞	Best & Co (.65g)	10	51½	50½	50⅝	— 1¼
80	39¼	Beth Steel	110	75⅝	73¼	73⅝	— 2
18½	12¾	Beth Steel 5½ pf (1)	3	18	17¾	18	+ ¼
115	75	Beth Steel 7% pf (7)	3	113½	113	113	— 1¼
29¾	17⅛	Bigelow-Sanf	4	24¾	23½	23½	— 2
24½	9¾	Black & Decker (½e)	14	20⅜	19	19	— 2
19¾	10	Blaw-Knox	20	16	15½	15⅝	— ⅜
35⅞	19	Boeing Airplane	32	31⅜	30½	30⅝	— ⅝
30½	15⅜	Bohn Al & Brass (½e)	1	28½	26½	26½	— 1¼
109	82	†Bon Ami A (4a)	30	107	106	107	— ½
55	40	†Bon Ami B (2½)	60	54	54	54	—
28	22¾	Bond Strs (.60e)	2	14¼	14	14	—
19¾	15	Borden Co (1.60e)	2	17	16¾	16¾	—
36⅜	16½	Borg-Warner (¾e)	29	28½	27½	27½	— 1⅜
4¾	1½	Boston & Maine	1	2¼	2¼	2¼	— ⅛
28	14	Bower Roll Bear (½g)	2	26	25½	25½	— ¾
8¾	4	Brew Corp Am (¾e)	2	6½	6½	6½	—
16	8¾	Bridgeport Brass	2	14⅝	14⅛	14⅛	— ⅛
37⅜	12¼	Briggs Mfg (1e)	14	32⅝	32	32⅛	— ⅛
44	28	Bristol-Myers (2.40)	1	43¾	43¾	43¾	+ ¾
2¾	1⅛	Bklyn & Qu Trans	1	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	— ⅛
14¾	5¾	Bklyn-Man Tr	9	12	11¾	11⅞	—
46¼	16¾	Bklyn-M Tr pf	2	39	39	39	—
24½	13¼	Bklyn Un Gas	5	17⅝	17⅜	17⅜	— ⅛
41	27¾	Brown Shoe (1¾e)	1	33½	33½	33½	+ ⅛
17¼	5½	Brunswick-Balke (1e)	1	12½	12½	12½	—
13⅜	5⅞	Bucyrus-Erie	18	12⅜	11⅞	11⅞	— ⅛
8	3¼	Budd Mfg	45	7¾	7	7	— ⅛
55½	25	†Budd Mfg pf	20	50	49¼	49¼	—
5¾	3	Budd Wheel	20	5¼	5¼	5¼	—
30	13¼	Bullard Co	9	27⅜	26	26⅛	— ⅜
39	15½	Bulova Watch (2)	4	30	29¾	29¾	— ⅜
16⅜	6¾	Burling Mills (1)	6	13¾	13¾	13¾	— ⅜
3⅛	1	Burr Add Mach (½e)	9	18⅛	18	18⅛	—
10	5⅜	Butler Bros	2	8¼	8¼	8¼	—
24	16⅜	Butler Bros pf (1½)	3	21	21	21	— ⅛
5	2⅜	Butte Cop & Zinc	4	3⅞	3¾	3⅞	—
15¾	6	Byers (A M) Co	4	11⅜	11½	11⅜	— ⅛
44½	20	†Byers (A M) pf	50	37	35¼	35⅞	— ⅝
		C					
24½	15⅛	Calif Packing	2	17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	— ⅛
2	1	Callahan Z-Lead	4	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	—
5¼	3	Calumet & Hec (¼e)	2	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	—
20½	8¾	Campbell Wyant	1	16	16	16	—
21½	12⅛	Can Dry Ginger Ale	48	19⅜	18⅞	19	— ⅛
8¼	5	Canad Pacific	38	5¾	5½	5⅝	—
8⅜	4½	Capital Ad A	2	7⅜	7¼	7¼	— ⅛
22½	12⅜	Carpenter Stl (.40)	1	20¼	20¼	20¼	+ ⅛
7	2½	Carriers & Gen (.05g)	1	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	+
107¾	62½	Case (J I) Co (5e)	6	91¾	90½	90½	— 1½
58	29⅜	Caterpil Tractor (2)	13	45¾	45	45	— ⅜
26⅜	9	Celanese Corp	8	23	22¾	23	— ⅛
19⅛	12⅜	Celotex Corp	16	17½	17⅛	17⅛	— ⅜
28	18½	Cent Aguirre (1½)	5	22½	22½	22½	+ ⅛
5⅜	2	Cent Foundry	9	4½	4⅜	4⅜	—
111¼	99¾	†Cent Ill Lt pf (4½)	70	110½	110½	110½	— ½
8	4	Cent Violeta Sug	2	5¼	5	5	—
39¼	26¼	Cerro de Pas (1g)	9	48¼	47¼	47½	— 1¼
13	4½	Certain-teed Prod	14	11¾	11¼	11¼	— ⅜
47½	17½	†Cert-teed 6% pf	70	42½	42	42	— 2
33¼	18	Champ Pap & F	1	27½	27½	27½	—
39¼	22	Ches & Ohio (1⅔g)	4	36¾	35¼	35¾	— 1⅛
89	70	Ches & Ohio pf (4)	1	88	88	88	— 1⅛
48½	20	Ches Corp (½g)	7	22¾	21¾	21¾	— 1¼
1¾	¼	Chi & E Ill	1	½	½	½	—
4	1¼	Chi & E Ill pf	1	3¼	3¼	3¼	—
1¾	¼	Chi & N West	1	½	½	½	—
5⅝	2¼	Chi Grt West	3	3¼	3¼	3¼	—
2¼	¼	Chi Grt West pf	2	½	½	½	—
1	¼	Chi M St P&P	3	½	½	½	—
1⅞	¼	Chi M St P & P pf	7	½	½	½	—
20¼	6⅞	Chi Pneu Tool	8	18	17⅝	17⅞	— ⅛
1¼	¼	Chi Rk Is & Pac	2	⅝			
19¼	12	Chickasha Cot Oil (¾e)	2	13⅛	13⅛	13⅛	—
13½	3¼	Childs Co	3	11¾	11¾	11¾	—
35⅜	23	†Chile Cop (2½e)	40	33	32	32	— 3
98½	35⅜	Chrysler Corp (2e)	122	78⅝	75⅝	75¾	— 3½
80	59	†City I & F pf (6½)	20	79¾	79½	79¾	— ¼
5½	2	City Stores	5	4	4	4	
110	106	†Clev El Ill pf (4½)	10	112¾	112¾	112¾	+ ¼
67¼	35½	Climax Molyb (1.20a)	18	54½	55	55½	— 1½
28⅝	10½	Cluett Peabody (.85e)	1	21⅝	21⅝	21⅝	
127½	105½	†Cluett Peabody pf (7)	10	128¼	128¼	128¼	+ ¾
142	105½	Coca-Cola (4½e)	4	131¾	130½	130½	— 1¾
114¼	78	Colgate-Palm-P (⅝a)	6	114	113¾	113¾	— ⅛
39¾	13¼	Colgate-Palm-P pf (6)	2	102½	102½	102½	— 1
8¾	3¼	Collins & Aik (1¼e)	2	33½	32½	32½	— 1
11¾	4¼	†Col & South	50	6¼	6	6¼	— ⅛
23⅞	9¼	Col & South 1 pf	1	16¾	16¾	16¾	—
34⅞	27⅛	Col Fuel & Iron	8	20½	20	20½	— ⅛
22¾	13¼	Columbia B'cast (1¼e)	1	16⅝	16⅝	16⅝	+ ⅛
22¾	13	Col B'cast B (1¼e)	3	16½	16⅜	16½	+ ⅛
3	1	Col Gas & El	71	2¼	2¼	2¼	—
83	57	Col G & E pf A (6)	1	77½	77½	77½	+ 1½
19	9	Col Pict vtc (2½%f)	3	13½	13¼	13½	— 1½
98½	53¾	Colum Carbon (4)	1	88⅞	88⅝	88⅞	— 1½
89½	23	Coml Credit (4)	16	55	53	53½	— ⅝
31½	11	Coml Invest Tr (4)	19	56⅜	55¾	55¾	— 1⅛
112½	90	Coml Inv Tr cv pf (4¼)	1	107¼	107¼	107¼	— 1¾
12¼	5⅞	Coml Solvents	29	10¼	10¼	10¼	— ⅜
19	2¼	Com'wlth & South	42	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	— ⅛
55¾	25	Com & South pf (¾k)	6	48	47¼	47¼	— ¾
28	22½	Com'wlth Edis (1.60)	52	27⅜	27⅛	27⅜	—
9¼	3⅞	Conde Nast	6	8½	7⅞	8	+ ⅛
30⅜	15	Congoleum-Nairn (⅝e)	10	28¾	27½	28	— ⅜
26¾	10½	Consol Aircr (1e)	24	23	21¾	22½	—
10¾	4¼	Consol Cigar (⅜g)	1	8¼	8¼	8¼	—
86⅞	71	†Con Cig pr pf (6½)	10	85	85	85	— 1
34⅛	17	Cons Edison (2)	63	31¾	30⅝	30⅝	— ⅛
104	88½	Cons Edison pf (5)	6	103⅞	103¼	103¼	— ⅛
12¼	8½	Consol Plim Ind pf (1e)	1	10¼	10¼	10¼	—
7⅜	2⅞	Cons Laundries	3	6¾	6¼	6¼	—
10¾	7	Consol Oil (.80)	36	9½	9	9⅛	—
5⅝	2¼	Consol'n Coal	4	3⅝	3½	3½	— ⅛
17⅜	9¾	Container Corp	6	15½	14⅞	14⅞	—
26⅜	8¾	Cont Bak A	7	18½	18¼	18¼	— ⅛
2¾	1¼	Cont Bak pf	3	3	3	3	—
49	36½	Cont Can (⅜g)	8	42¼	41¾	41¾	— ⅜
36½	21½	Cont Ins (1.60a)	6	33¾	33½	33½	—
3½	½	Cont Motors	42	3¾	3¼	3¼	—
38¾	21¼	Cont Oil Del (1)	17	29	28	28¼	— 1½
29½	10	Cont Steel (1e)	27	27	26½	26½	— ⅝
56	40	†Corn Exchange (3)	2	52	52	52	—
70¾	53	Corn Products (3)	3	65½	64⅞	64⅞	— ⅛
5¾	2¾	Cory Inc	5	4½	4¼	4¼	— ⅛
42½	19	Crane Co	27	34¾	33¾	33¾	— 1
117¼	85	Crane Co cv pf (5)	5	106½	105	106	— 2
10⅞	5½	Crosley Corp	1	10	9½	9½	— ⅛
43¾	22¼	Crown Cork & S	12	37⅜	36½	36½	— 1½
17½	7	†Crown Zellerbach (¼g)	14	13⅜	13¼	13¼	— ⅛
92½	58	†Crown Zeller pf (5)	60	90⅞	89¼	89¼	— 1¼
47¾	19¼	Crucible Steel	30	44¾	43¼	43½	— 1½
96	59	Crucible Stl pf	1	93½	93½	93½	—
87	58½	†Cuban-Am Sug pf (2e)	50	65	65	65	— ½
21⅝	12	Cudahy Pack	2	14½	14½	14½	—
8¼	4¾	Curtis Publishg	4	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	—
56	35	Curtis Pub pf	9	47	46¼	47	— ¼
25	3¼	Curtiss-Wright	71	6⅝	6½	6⅝	+ ⅛
28¼	12¾	Curtiss-Wr A (1e)	10	26	25⅝	25⅝	—
29½	13½	Cutler-Hammer	9	22½	21½	21½	—
8¾	4½	Davega Stores	1	6¼	6¼	6¼	—
11¼	6¼	Davison Chem	21	8	7⅞	7⅞	— ⅛
25¼	13¾	Deere & Co (1.35e)	25	19½	19	19¼	—
25	19¾	Deere & Co pf (1.40)	4	24	23½	23½	—
25½	7½	Del & Hudson	16	22⅜	21⅝	21⅝	— 1½
8¾	4	Del Lack & West	9	7½	6⅞	6⅞	—
106	¾	Den & Rio G W pf	1	1½	1½	1½	—
40½	25	†Devoe & Ray A	240	32¾	31½	31¾	—
31¼	20¾	Diamond Match (1¼a)	1	30¾	30¾	30¾	— ⅛
23½	11	Distil Corp Seag (2)	4	19¼	19	19	—
25½	12	Doehler Die Cas	2	19½	19¼	19¼	—
34⅞	27½	Dome Mines (1g)	26	32½	32	32	—
8¼	4½	Dominion Stores	1	5¾	5¾	5¾	—
81¾	31	Douglas Aircraft (3e)	77	71¼	69¾	70	— 1½
141	87⅞	Dow Chemical (3)	1	131	131	131	—
19¼	1¾	Dunhill Int	83	18¼	18¼	17¾	+ ⅛
158¾	90½	du Pont de N (3¼e)	18	150	149	149	— 1
139½	130¾	du Pont deb (6)	2	138	138	138	—

Dow-Jones Averages

By the United Press.

New York, Jan. 11.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net ch.
30 industrials	150.05	150.18	148.48	148.68	—1.83
20 rails	31.90	31.93	31.20	31.39	—1.07
15 utilities	23.12	23.15	22.67	22.76	—0.43
65 stocks	50.01	50.05	49.36	49.45	—0.85

Transactions in stocks used in averages today:

Industrials	104,100
Rails	69,300
Utilities	53,200
Totals	226,600

Commodities Range

	Yester-day.	Prev. day.	Week ago.	Month ago.	Year ago.
Cotton, New York (Jan.)	8.35	8.24	8.47	8.39	8.59
Wheat, Chicago (May)	69¼	69	70⅜	67⅛	96
Corn, Chicago (May)	52⅞	52⅝	53¾		61⅜
Oats, Chicago (May)	29¾	29⅝	30⅝	28½	33⅝
Cattle, choice steers, Balto	10.00	10.30	9.25	9.80	8.85
Hogs, choice, Baltimore	8.25	8.45	8.35	8.20	9.45
Lambs, choice, Baltimore	10.40	10.25	10.35	10.25	9.50
Eggs, special, New York	27.00	26.50	27.25	29.00	23.50
Butter, creamery, New York	26.50	26.50	26.75	29.50	23.50

N. Y. Curb Stock Transactions

By the Associated Press.

Total stock sales today: 106,000 shares.
Year ago 239,810 shares.

Sales in hundreds.	High	Low	Close
A			
1 Aero Supplies(1⅛s)	5½	5¼	5¼
3 Asfa-Ansco (⅛s)	30	29½	29½
3 Ainsworth (⅛s)	8⅛	7⅞	7⅞
.25 Ala Gt Sou (6s)	61½	61½	61½
.30 Ala Pow $7 pf (7)	71¾	71½	71¾
8 .60 Alum Co Am	128	127	128
1 Alum Co Am pf (6)	111⅝	111⅛	111⅛
12 Alum Ltd	133	128	130
1 Alum Ltd pf (6)	108	108	108
1 Am Airlines	19¼	19¼	19¼
1 Am Beverage	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
.10 Am Book (4)	38½	38½	38½
1 Am Centrifugal	1¼	1¼	1¼
2.25 †Am Cit⁊ & LA (3h)	27½	27	27
9 †ACF&LAww (.34)h	26⅝	26	26
1 Am Cyanamid pf (7)	93¼	93¼	93¼
9 Am Cyan B (.60)	25⅝	25⅝	25⅝
2 Am Fork&Hoe (.70e)	10½	10½	10½
12 Am Gas&El (1.40)	34	33½	33½
.90 Am G&E pf (6)	115	114½	114½
1 Am Gen	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜
1 Am Laund Mch (.80)	17½	17½	17½
8 Am Light & T (.30g)	17⅞	17⅝	17⅝
2 Am Lt & T pf (1¼)	27½	27	27½
1 †Am Maracaibo	⅝	⅝	⅝
8 Am Republics	8⅞	8⅝	8⅝
1 Am Seal-Kap (.30a)	5⅛	5	5⅛
7 Am Superpow	¾	¾	¾
2 Apex Elec Mfg	13	12¾	12¾
1 Arctur Rad Tube	⅞	⅞	⅞
8 Ark Nat Gas A	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞
3 Ark NatGas pf(.60e)	8	8	8
.10 Ark P&L pf (7)	87	87	87
1 †Ashland Oil&R(.40)	4¾	4¾	4¾
1 †Asso G&El A	1	1	1
4 Asso G&El pf	8⅝	8½	8⅝
1 At Cst Fish	3½	3½	3½
3 †Atlas Corp war	1	1	1
1 Atlas Plv	24⅞	24⅝	24⅝
1 †Austin Silver M	⅜	⅜	⅜
3 †Auto V Mach (¼a)	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
131 †Aviation & Tran	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
.10 †Axton-Fis A	42	42	42
B			
3 Babcock & Wil	26¼	26	26
15 †Baldwin Loco war	7⅞	7½	7¾
1 †Bardst'n Dis	⅞	⅞	⅞
9 †Barium Stn Sil	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
1 †Bath Iron Wks	7¾	7¾	7¾
10 †Beech Aire	7¼	7¼	7¼
8 Bell Aire	30¾	29	30
4 †Bellanca Aire(.40e)	9	8¾	8¾
2 †Berk & Gay Furn	1¼	1¼	1¼
4 †Berk & Gay F war	½	½	½
1 †Birdsboro B Pdy	7½	7½	7½
6 †Bliss (E W)	15½	15½	15½
1 †Blue Hide	1¼	1¼	1¼
1 †Blue Rid cv pf (3h)	39	39	39
9 Bowm-Bilt H	2¾	2¼	2¼
1 Bowm-Bilt H 1 pf	23	23	23
2 Bras Tr LaSP	9¾	9¾	9¾
1 †Brewster Aero	3½	3½	3½
29 †Brewst Aero (.30e)	11⅝	11⅜	11⅝
4 †Bridgept Mach	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜
2 Brill B	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
1 †Brown F&W (¼e)	7¼	7¼	7¼
.50 Buckeye P L (2e)	29	29	29
1 Buf N&EP pf (1.60)	22	21¾	22
.50 Buf N&EP 1 pf (5)	107	107	107
C			
1 Can Marconi	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
1 Carib Syn	18	18	18
1 Carman B	4¾	4¾	4¾
1 Carnation (1a)	25	25	25
12 Carrier Corp	19¼	19	19
6 †Catalin Am	4	4	4
.25 Celanese 1 pf (7)	88	88	88
1 Cen & SW Ut	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
2 †Cen Ohio Sil (¾e)	1	⅞	⅞
.25 Cen P&L pf (7)	93¼	93¼	93¼
3 Cen St El	4	4	4
.80 Cen St E 7% pf	10	10	10
.50 Chi Flex Shaft (4a)	67	67	67
.25 Childs pf	54	54	54
11 Cities Service	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
1 Cit Svc pf	48⅛	48¼	48¼
.25 Cit Svc P & L 17 pf	55	55	55
.25 Cit Svc P & L 36 pf	55	55	55
1 Clt&Sub Hom(.35e)	4½	4½	4½
3 City Auto Stpg(.15e)	6¾	6¼	6¼
4 Claude Neon Lts	3	3	3
1 Clayton & Lam	3	3	3
.50 Cleve El Illum (2a)	35	34½	35
2 Cleve Tract	5⅝	5½	5½
1 Club Al Uten	3½	2½	2½
3 Colon Develop	1¼	1¼	1¼
1 Colo Fuel & Iron	7¾	7¾	7¾
4 Colts PFArms (2a)	86	85	86
.25 Colum G&E pf (5)	58	58	58
9 Colum O & G (.15e)	3¾	3¾	3¾
7 Comwlth & S war	3-32	3-32	3-32
.50 Comm P & Lt 1 pf	29½	29½	29½
2 Comm Pub Svc (2)	27¾	27¾	27¾
1 †Com Sh M vtc (1)	16	16	16
8 Cons Copperm (¼e)	8	7¾	7¾
1.50 Cons Mng & Sm(1a)	58¼	58	58
1 Cons Ret Strs	8½	8½	8½
10 Cons Royalty (.20)	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
3 Cons Sil Corp	5⅞	5¾	5¾
.25 Cont G&E pr pf (7)	84¼	84¼	84¼
.30 Cook Pt & V pf(4)	53	52½	52½
1 †Cooper-Bess	2¼	2¼	2¼
1 †Coop-Bess pr pf	18	18	18
3 Copper Range	5	5	5
1 †Copperw'd Stl(1.20)	25	25	25
8 †Cosden Petro	6¾	6¾	6¾
1 †Cosden Petro pf	85	85	85
1 †Creole Pet (½a)	22⅝	22⅝	22⅝
2 Crocker-Wh El M	5¾	5¾	5¾
2 †Croft Brewing	⅝	⅝	⅝
2 †Crown Drug	1¼	1¼	1¼
1 †Crown Zeller pf(1¾)	14¼	14¼	14¼
1 †Cuneo Press(1½e)	50¼	50½	50½
.10 Cuneo Press pf(6½)	108½	108½	108½
D			
6 Decca Records(.80e)	6¾	6¼	6¼
1 †Det Gask&Kitfs(⅝a)	3	3	3
1 †Det G&M pf (1.20)	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜
1 †Det Mich Stove	3	3	3
1 †Det Sti Prod(⅛a)	28⅝	28⅛	28⅛
4 †Divco Twin Trk	4⅜	4	4⅜
1 Domin Sti & Coal	11⅝	11¼	11¼
.40 Draper Corp (1¾a)	65½	65¼	65½
4 †Duro-Test (.10a)	5¼	5⅛	5⅛
E			
2 Eagle Fish Ld	12⅝	12⅜	12⅜
1.25 East G & F pr pf	22½	22	22
.25 East Sta pf A	18	18	18
1 Eaton Mach M B	3¼	3¼	3¼
103 El Bond & Sh	11⅛	10⅝	10⅝
2 El Bond & S pf(6)	64½	64½	64½
1 El Pow As A(.10e)	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
2 †Elect Share	2	2	2
3 †Equity Corp	1	1	1
1 †Inter Prod	3½	3½	3½
1 †Inter Util B	⅛	⅛	⅛
.50 †Inter Util pf	12	12	12
1 †Inter Vit(.35e)	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜
1 †Inters HomeEq(.44)	5½	5½	5½
11 Invest Roy (.08)	⅜	⅜	⅜
29 †Irving Air Ch (1a)	19¼	19	19¼
J			
9 †Jacobs (F L)	4½	4⅜	4⅜
1 †Jeannette Gla	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
1 †Jones & Lau Stl	34½	34½	34½
K			
2 †Kennedy's	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
1 †Kimberly Prod	2¼	2¼	2¼
2 †Kirby Pet (.10e)	3	3	3
1 †Knott Corp (.40)	14½	14½	14½
1 †Kobacker Strs (½e)	10	10	10
2 †Krueger Brew	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
L			
3 †Lakey Fdr & M	3½	3½	3½
1 †Leonard Oil Dev	3	3	3
4.50 Line Material (.20e)	13½	13¼	13¼
2 †Lion Oil (1)	19⅝	19½	19½
1 †Locke Stl Ch (.30e)	13	12¾	13
74 †Lockheed Aircraft	32½	31½	31½
5 Lone Star Gas(.80e)	8⅞	8⅝	8⅝
4 †Long Is Lig	1⅜	1¼	1¼
25 †Long Is L pf	27	27	27
9 †Louis L & E (.40a)	7¼	7	7⅛
M			
5 †Majestic Rad & T	⅞	⅞	⅞
1 McWill Dredg	15¾	15¾	15¾
.50 †Mead John (3a)	132¾	132	132
4 †Merritt-C & S	6	5¾	5¾
.25 †Mer-Cap Pf(8½e)	74	74	74
1 †Mesta Machine	7	7	7
5 †Michigan G & O	2¼	2¼	2¼
1 Mid St Pet A vtc	⅝	5	5
1 Mid St Pet B vtc	12	12	12
.25 Midvale (5e)	104	104	104
1 †Mid-West Abr	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
1 Minn Min&M(1.80e)	41	41	41
5 Molybdenum	5⅝	5½	5⅝
1 Monarch M T(1¼e)	21	21	21
12 †Monogram Pict	2¼	2¼	2¼
1 †Mont Ward vtc (7)	159¼	159¼	159¼
1 †Mount City Cop	5	5	5
1 Mount Prod (.60)	5	5	5
N			
3 †Nat Bellas Hess	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
1 †Nat City Lin (¼e)	12½	12½	12½
4 Nat Fuel Gas (1)	12¾	12¾	12¾
1 †Nat Oil Prod (.90e)	32¼	32¼	32¼
1 †Nat P&L pf (8)	73	72	72
1 †Nat Rub Mch	4½	4½	4½
1 Nat Service pf	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝
.25 Nat Stl Car (½a)	57	57	57
4 Nat Sug Ref (½a)	12	11¾	11¾
1 Nat Tun & Mines	2	2	2
11 †Nat Un Rad	1¼	1⅛	1⅛
2 †Nehi Corp (½a)	47⅞	46¼	46¼
3 †Neptune Met A	5½	5¼	5¼
2.25 †N EngPA6%pf(1k)	57	56¼	56¼
.10 New Eng T&T (6)	108	108	108
2 N J Zinc (2)	57	57	57
1 †Newmont Min (3e)	79	79	79
.50 †NY&H Ros(3.90e)	23½	23½	23½
9 †Niag Hud P (¼e)	8½	8⅜	8⅜
.25 †Niag Hud 1 pf (5)	87	87	87
1 †Nia Sh Md B	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
1 Niles-Bem-P (2)	56⅜	56⅜	56⅜
1 †Noma Elec (.65e)	5½	5½	5½
2 Nor Am Lt & Pow	1½	1½	1½
3 †Nor Am Ut Sec	⅜	⅜	⅜
.10 †Nor IndPS6%pf(6)	82½	82½	82½
.40 †Nor IndPS7%pf(7)	89¼	89	89¼
5 Nor Sta Pow A	10⅝	10¼	10¼
O			
1 †Okla Nat Gas	11⅝	11⅝	11⅝
3 Pac G&E 6 pf (1½)	32¼	32¼	32¼
.50 PacG&E 5½ pf(1¾)	29	29	29
36 Pac Lighg pf (6)	108⅛	108⅛	108⅛
3 Pac Pub Svc (.10e)	6¾	6¾	6¾
80 †Pantepec Oil	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
10 Pantepec Oil Am Sh	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
.50 Penin Tel (1.60e)	30	30	30
2 Pennroad	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
2 Pa-Cent Airl	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
25 Pa P&L $7 pf (7)	100⅜	100⅜	100⅜
1.50 †Pa Wat&Pow(1⅝a)	74¾	74¼	74¼
70 Pepperell (2e)	69	69	69
3 †Pharis Tch (.15e)	9⅞	9⅝	9⅝
2 Phila Co (.20e)	6¼	6¼	6¼
6 †Phillips Pkg	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
3 †Phoenix Sec	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝
1.50 †Phoen Sec pf	24½	23⅝	23⅝
5 †Pioneer Gold (.40)	2¾	2¾	2¾
.40 Pit & Lake E (1¼e)	63¾	62	62
5 †Pitts Forg	12¾	11⅞	11⅞
4 †Pitts Pr Cl (1¾e)	103¾	103	103
2 †Poinrey Busac	4½	4½	4½
3 Powdrell & Alex	4½	4½	4½
1 †Pratt & Lam (1)	20	20	20
1 Premier Gld (.12)	2¼	2¼	2¼
1 Pressed Stl	22¾	22¾	23⅛
.25 Prov Gas (.80)	7¾	7¾	7¾
1 †Prud Investors	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
.50 Prud Invest pf (6)	95	95	95
.20 P S Ind $7 pr pf	47	47	47
1 P S Ind 1st $ pf	27	26½	26½
.50 Pug Sd P&L $5 pf	35¾	35¾	35¾
1.75 Pug Sd P&L $6 pf	15¼	15¼	15¼
Q			
.40 Quaker Oats (5a)	115	115	115
R			
3 Raym Conc (1)	18	18	18
1 †Red Bank Oil	4¼	4¼	4¼
1 †Reed Roll Bit(.80a)	32	32	32
4 †Reiter-Fost	⅛	⅛	⅛
1 †Roosevelt Fd	2½	2½	2½
2 †Root Pet	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
4 †Rustless I & S	11¾	11¼	11¼
1 †Rus L&S cv pf(2½)	41¼	41¼	41¼
2 †Ryerson & Haynes	¾	¾	¾
S			
1 St Regis Pap	3	3	3
2 †Salt Dome Oil	16	16	16
1 †Savoy Oil	1	1	1
4 †Scullin Stl	13	12¾	12¾
7 Scullin Stl war	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
6 Segal Lock & H	⅛	⅛	⅛
11 Seiberling Rub	6⅝	6⅛	6⅛
2 †Selected Indus	1	1	1
.80 †Sel Ind Inc (5½)	63¾	63¾	63¾
5 †Servesky Aire	8¼	8¼	8¼
.50 Sherwin-Wms(2½e)	107	107	107
8 †Simmons Har&Pt	2	2	2
2 †Solar Mfg	3½	3½	3½
1 †Sonotone (.15e)	1½	1½	1½
1 So Penn Oil (1¼a)	33¼	33¼	33¼
1 So C Ed C pf (1⅝)	27½	27½	27½
2 †Stahl-Meyer	3	3	3
.80 †Stand Dredg pf	10¾	10¾	10¾
2 †St Oil Ohio (1)	20¾	20¾	20¾
2 St Pow & Lt	1	1	1
.50 St Pow & L pf	30	30	30
6 †Stand Prod	9¼	9¼	9¼
1 †Stand Stl Spr	6	6	6
3 †StandStl Sprg(.40e)	21½	20	20
8 †Starrett Corp vtc	4¼	4¼	4¼
2 †SterlAlumProd(½e)	6¾	6¾	6¾
3 †Sterling Inc (.20a)	3¾	3½	3½
.75 Stetson (JB)	23	23	23
2 †Sunray Oil (.05e)	2½	2½	2½
1 †SunrayOilvtpf(2¾)	36½	36½	36½
2 †Superior Oil Cal	42	42	42
T			
5 †Tassart	5¼	5⅛	5⅛
14 †Technicolor (1e)	20¼	20⅛	20⅛
4 †Tilo Roof (.15e)	14¼	14¼	14¼
4 Tob Prod Exp (.35e)	4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
.50 Todd Shipyds (5½a)	78	77¾	78
4 Tonopah Min	⅜	⅜	⅜
4 †Trans-Lux (.10e)	2½	2	2
3 †Transwest Oil	⅛	⅛	⅛
1 †Tubize Chat	11⅞	11¾	11⅞
1 †Tung-Sol Lamp	3	3	3
2 †Tung-Sol L pf (.80)	7¾	7½	7¾
U			
1 †Union Prem PS (1)	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜
2 †Unit Chem	4¾	4¾	4¾
2 †Unit Cig-Wh Strs	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
11 Unit Corp war	⅛	⅛	⅛
31 Unit Gas	3	2¾	3
2 Unit Gas pf (7)	80¾	79¾	80¾
2 Unit Oil Co	2	2	2
4 Unit Lt&Pow A	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜
8 Unit Lt&P pf	30	29½	29½
8 †Unit Shipyds A	10⅛	10	10
29 †Unit Shipyds B	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
3.50 Unit Shoe M (2½a)	83¾	83¼	83¼
1 †Unit Sh M pf (1¾)	42	42	42
2 †Unit Specialties	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
1 †U S & Int Sec	½	½	½
1 †US&I Sec pf (4¼e)	66½	66½	66½
3 †U S Foil B	⅝	⅝	⅝
1 †US Pipe&Fdry(½a)	14½	14½	14½
1 †U S Radiator	4¼	4¼	4¼
3 †U S Rub Recl	2¾	2¼	2¼
1.10 †U S Strs 1 pf	5	5	5
1 †United Stores vtc	⅛	⅛	⅛
1 †Unit Verde Ext	2	2	2
3 †UnitWallPap (.10e)	2½	2½	2½
2 †Univ Corp vtc	4⅜	4⅛	4⅛
2 Utah-Idaho Sug	⅞	⅞	⅞
2 †Util Power & Lt	⅛	⅛	⅛
2 †Util & Ind pf	1¼	1¼	1¼
1 †Utility Equit	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
.25 Util Equit pr (2e)	53	53	53
V			
4 †Valspar Corp	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛
2 Venes Mex Oil	7¼	7	7
4 †Venemuel Pet	⅞	⅞	⅞
.30 Virg Pub Svc pf	44¾	44¾	44¾
W			
2 †Wagner Bak vtc	7	7	7
2 †West Air Exp	4	4	4
1 †Werenb Shoe(¼e)	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝
1 †Willson Prod(.35e)	9	9	9
1 †Wilson-Jones	9¼	9¼	9¼
.10 †WisP&L 7% pf(5¼e)	86	86	86
2 †Woodley Pet	6	6	6
55 †Wright Harg (.40a)	8¼	8¼	8¼

†Stocks so marked are fully listed on the curb exchange. All others are dealt on an unlisted trading basis.

Rates of dividends in the foregoing table are annual disbursements based on the last quarterly or semiannual declaration. Unless otherwise noted, special or extra dividends are not included.

XD—Ex dividend. XR—Ex rights. (a) Also extra or extras. (e) Paid last year. (f) Payable in stock. (g) Declared or paid so far this year. (h) Cash or stock. (k) Accumulated dividend paid or declared this year. (ur) Under rule. (vw) With warrants. (xw) Without warrants. (war) Warrants.

Reserve District No. 5

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

Liberty National Bank,

Of Washington, in the District of Columbia, at the close of business on December 31, 1938, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS.

1. Loans and discounts (including $284.77 overdrafts)	$2,469,003.57
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,838,464.38
4. Other bonds, notes, and debentures	90,088.33
5. Corporate stocks, including stock of Federal Reserve Bank	29,004.00
6. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	3,413,109.34
7. Bank premises owned, $224,806.37; furniture and fixtures, $16,994.05	241,799.62
11. Other assets	5,775.92
12. Total assets	$8,087,225.16

LIABILITIES.

13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	$4,504,817.00
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	2,343,409.48
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	200,000.00
17. Deposits of banks	22,582.10
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	53,337.92
19. Total deposits, $7,124,236.48	
23. Other liabilities	29,979.14
24. Total liabilities	$7,154,215.62

CAPITAL ACCOUNT.

25. Capital stock: (c) Common, 5,000; total par, $500,000.00	$500,000.00
26. Surplus	310,000.00
27. Undivided profits	75,000.00
28. Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	48,009.54
29. Total capital account	$933,009.54
30. Total liabilities and capital account	$8,087,225.16

MEMORANDA.

31. Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value): (a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	$1,178,023.44
(b) Other assets pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities (including notes and bills rediscounted and securities sold under repurchase agreement)	32,779.17
(c) Assets pledged to qualify for exercise of fiduciary or corporate powers, and for purposes other than to secure liabilities	152,190.94
(e) Total	$1,362,993.55
32. Secured liabilities: (a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	$299,558.51
(c) Other liabilities secured by pledged assets	126,000.00
(d) Total	$1,025,558.51

Washington, District of Columbia, ss:

I, W. T. VANDOREN, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. T. VANDOREN, Cashier.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of January, 1939.
(Seal.) ETHEL B. HAYDEN, Notary Public.
My commission expires October 15, 1943.

Correct—Attest:
DR. L. F. DAVIS,
E. K. MORRIS,
LENNARD H. MITCHELL,
HOWARD P. POLEY,
FREDERIC M. TOWERS,
THOMAS LITTLEPAGE,
I. E. SHOEMAKER,
TRACY L. JEFFORDS,
THOMAS P. BROWN,
JUDSON B. CULA, Jr.,
EDWARD B. BARNEMAN,
PAUL E. JOHNSON,
M. F. CALMAN, Directors.

Reserve District No. 5

REPORT OF CONDITION OF

The Washington Loan & Trust Co.

of Washington, in the District of Columbia, at the close of business on December 31, 1938, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS.

1. Loans and discounts (including $1,264.74 overdrafts)	$8,433,404.27
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	8,305,368.27
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	96,598.50
4. Other bonds, notes and debentures	1,492,488.76
5. Corporate stocks, including stock of Federal Reserve bank	142,979.17
6. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance and cash items in process of collection	6,242,179.66
7. Bank premises owned $1,815,500.78; furniture and fixtures, $55,764.58	1,871,265.36
8. Real estate owned other than bank premises	485,869.60
10. Other assets	73,039.03
12. Total assets	$27,143,192.62

LIABILITIES.

13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	$12,757,295.77
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	10,194,688.14
17. Deposits of banks	356,075.33
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	81,431.25
19. Total deposits	$23,389,490.49
23. Other liabilities	170,283.14
24. Total liabilities	$23,559,773.63

CAPITAL ACCOUNT.

25. Capital stock: (c) Common, 10,000; total par, $1,000,000	$1,000,000.00
26. Surplus	2,000,000.00
27. Undivided profits	489,762.78
28. Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	93,656.21
29. Total capital account	$3,583,418.99
30. Total liabilities and capital account	$27,143,192.62

MEMORANDA.

31. Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value): (a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities	$1,161,996.25
(c) Assets pledged to qualify for exercise of fiduciary or corporate powers, and for purposes other than to secure liabilities	252,388.88
(e) Total	$1,414,385.13
32. Secured liabilities: (a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law	736,370.82
(d) Total	$736,370.82

District of Columbia, Washington, D. C. ss:

I, GEORGE M. FISHER, Vice President and Treasurer of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEO. M. FISHER,
Vice President and Treasurer.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of January, 1939.
(Seal.) ARTHUR C. HARMAN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
HARRY G. MEEM,
ARTHUR PETER,
ALFRED H. LAWSON,
WM. H. BADEN,
W. S. PRATT, JR.,
FREDERICK M. BRADLEY,
JOHN A. JOHNSTON,
L. W. ESTES,
S. H. KAUFFMANN,
CHARLES H. DOING,
HIRAM BINGHAM,
T. H. WELSH,
THEODORE W. NOYES,
JOHN RUTHERFOORD,
W. E. PEARSON,
A. C. OLIPHANT,
JOHN H. CLAPP,
Directors.

Legal Record

DAILY ASSIGNMENT
January 12, 1939
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377, 64970—Bell vs. Bell. Attys., F. W. Taylor—A. E. Johnson.

—, 90174—Delfis vs. Delfis. Attys., F. H. Marshall—H. L. McCormick; Mabel Gakis.

379, 63981—Hinkle vs. Hinkle. Attys., Ellis Klein—A. A. Stern.

192, 63900—Fozzi vs. Coe. Attys., Jenkins Bailey, jr.—Mr. Cochrane.

380, 63681—Barnholt vs. Barnholt. Attys., R. A. Cusick—William Wendell.

—, 6345—Rodenberg, executor, vs. Cummings. Attys., G. L. Hart, jr.—H. L. Jones (pro-trial).

1124, 76697—Miller vs. Ickes. Attys., Nita S. Hinman—D. M. Hudson.

—, 39707—Hellen et al. vs. Hellen et al. Attys., Pelle, Lesh, Drain & Barnard—S. W. Dempsey; F. W. Hill, jr.; F. M. Bradley, Arthur Hellen, R. L. Merrick, J. L. Lasker, J. L. Edgerton.

246, 64333—Sharp vs. Coe. Attys., K. L. Sheehan—R. F. Whitehead.

331, 64860; 332, 64861—Hussmann-Lisonier Co. vs. Coe. Attys., E. W. Shepard—Whitehead.

—, 623—Potomac Electric Power Co. vs. Cardillo et al. Attys., R. E. Lee Goff—W. S. Tower.

370, 59106—Niagro vs. Niagro. Attys., Joseph DiLeo—R. B. Dickey.

109, 62731; 487—Sures vs. Sures. Attys., W. R. Lichtenberg—M. M. Doyle.

112, 61183—Calvin vs. Washington Properties, Inc. Attys., E. S. Duvall—Peelle, Lesh, Drain & Barnard.

Adm. 50225—In re estate of Wilkes. Attys., G. A. Parker; H. S. McAlpin—R. A. Ricketts.

277, 62679—Graebner vs. Graebner. Attys., Raymond Neudecker—W. B. O'Connell.

90122, 90123—Herfurth, Inc., vs. Acker. Attys., L. J. Ganse—Hudson & Hudson (Mr. Justice Luhring.)

66872—Chrysler Corp. vs. Cummings. Attys., William Stanley—H. L. Underwood.

T. L. Arnold—T. H. Patterson.

36, 62141—Donohue vs. Donohue. Attys., L. H. Shapiro—Wm. McCullough.

1406, 64903—Stahl vs. Association of Miley. Attys., Edward Stafford—S. M. Ammerman, Leslie Garnett.

91, 03218—Bostwick vs. Bostwick. Attys., L. H. Shapiro—D. B. Maher.

404, 64932—Livesay vs. Livesay. Attys., Raymond Neudecker—P. Lillard.

225, 58801—Silver et al. vs. Lansburgh & Bros. Attys., Swingle & Swingle, R. B. Lyon.

106, 63328—Hunter vs. Hunter. Attys., J. L. O'Connor—G. C. Hayes.

304, 64580; 305, 64581—Frick vs. Coe. Attys., H. T. Stowell—R. F. Whitehead.

335, 64328—Connors vs. Connors. Attys., T. E. Lodge—M. F. Mangan.

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The Weather

Today's Sun and Tide Table

(Furnished by United States Department of Commerce, Coast and Geodetic Survey.)

	A.M.	P.M.
Sun rises.....	7:27	
Sun sets.....	5:06	
High tide	0:57	1:32
Low tide	7:46	8:20

Weather Conditions

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Washington, Wednesday, Jan. 11, 7:30 p.m.

Forecast for the District of Columbia—Cloudy and slightly colder followed by rain Thursday and Friday; gentle winds, mostly northeast and north.

For Maryland—Cloudy and slightly colder followed by rain in east and rain or snow in west portion Thursday afternoon or night and on Friday.

For Virginia—Rain in east and central, and rain or snow in extreme west portion Thursday and Friday; colder Thursday.

Conditions

The disturbance that was central over southwestern Quebec Tuesday night is now moving northward over Labrador. Cartwright, 28.92 inches, and it is merging with the disturbance that moved from Labrador northwestward to Hudson Strait, Resolution Island, 28.96 inches. The Texas disturbance is central tonight near the mouth of the Rio Grande, Brownsville, 29.78 inches, and a trough extends thence east-northeastward to the North Carolina coast. Another disturbance is moving southeastward over the northern Rocky Mountain region and the northern Plains States, McMurray, Alberta, 29.62 inches, and Miles City, Mont., 29.82 inches. Pressure is low and falling over southern and central Alaska, Dutch Harbor, 29.00 inches. High pressure prevails over the greater part of the United States, British Columbia, the District of Mackenzie, and over the ocean east of Florida. Northhead, Wash., 30.36 inches; Aklavik, District of Mackenzie, 30.34 inches; Peoria, Ill., and Oklahoma City, Okla., 30.14 inches, and West Palm Beach, Fla., 30.10 inches. Rain has fallen in the Southern States and along the North Pacific Coast, while light snow has fallen in western New Mexico and from the northern Rocky Mountain region eastward over the Northern New England. The temperature has fallen almost generally east of the Rocky Mountains, but it is still above normal over the greater part of the United States.

Local Weather Report

Temperature—Midnight, 58; 2 a. m., 57; 4 a. m., 56; 6 a. m., 53; 8 a. m., 46; 10 a. m., 43; noon, 47; 2 p. m., 48; 4 p. m., 49; 6 p. m., 48; 8 p. m., 46; 10 p. m., 43. Highest, 58. Lowest, 43.

Relative humidity—7:30 a. m., 51; 1:30 p. m., 33; 7:30 p. m., 42. Rainfall (7:30 p. m. to 7:30 p. m.), none. Hours of sunshine, 5. Per cent of possible sunshine, 52.

Departures From Normal

Accumulated excess of temperature since January 1, 1939, 151 degrees.

Accumulated deficiency of precipitation since January 1, 1939, 1.21 inches.

Temperatures and Precipitation

Temperatures and precipitation in other cities for 24 hours ended Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

	Highest	Lowest Wed.	High. Tues. 7:30 p. m.	Rainfall
Washington, D. C.	50	41	47	....
Asheville, N. C.	50	42	48	....
Atlanta, Ga.	60	50	54	0.06
Atlantic City, N. J.	50	42	44	....
Baltimore, Md.	50	42	46	....
Birmingham, Ala.	60	44	50	0.33
Bismarck, N. Dak.	26	12	20	0.02
Boston, Mass.	44	40	40	....
Buffalo, N. Y.	34	32	28	0.02
Cheyenne, Wyo.	34	32	32	....
Chicago, Ill.	34	32	28	....
Cincinnati, Ohio	44	34	42	....
Cleveland, Ohio	36	34	32	....
Dallas, Tex.	50	50	44	0.63
Davenport, Iowa	34	30	30	....
Denver, Colo.	42	18	36	....
Des Moines, Iowa	38	26	34	....
Detroit, Mich.	34	34	30	....
Duluth, Minn.	10	2	4	....
El Paso, Tex.	44	42	42	0.02
Galveston, Tex.	70	64	66	....
Helena, Mont.	42	28	38	....
Huron, S. Dak.	34	16	30	....
Indianapolis, Ind.	42	32	34	....
Jacksonville, Fla.	76	58	70	....
Kansas City, Mo.	48	42	48	....
Little Rock, Ark.	48	42	43	0.01
Los Angeles, Calif.	74	50	70	....
Louisville, Ky.	46	36	44	....
Marquette, Mich.	18	18	16	0.01
Memphis, Tenn.	48	42	48	....
Miami, Fla.	78	72	74	....
Minneapolis, Minn.	18	6	16	0.01
Mobile, Ala.	72	64	64	....
New Orleans, La.	78	66	72	....
New York, N. Y.	48	40	40	....
North Platte, Nebr.	42	22	36	....
Omaha, Nebr.	44	28	36	....
Philadelphia, Pa.	46	44	44	....
Phoenix, Ariz.	68	42	66	....
Pittsburgh, Pa.	40	32	40	....
Portland, Me.	50	38	50	....
Portland, Oreg.	50	38	50	....
Rapid City, S. Dak.	44	24	40	....
St. Louis, Mo.	42	40	40	....
Salt Lake City, Utah	38	28	34	....
San Antonio, Tex.	58	58	48	0.16
San Diego, Calif.	68	48	66	....
San Francisco, Calif.	64	48	64	....
Santa Fe, N. Mex.	34	24	30	0.06
Savannah, Ga.	78	60	64	....
Seattle, Wash.	50	48	48	0.03
Shreveport, La.	60	44	58	....
Tampa, Fla.	78	60	70	....
Vicksburg, Miss.	54	52	50	0.01

Vital Statistics

Deaths

Louva L. Hack, 80, 1129 Fern st. nw.
Timothy Foley, 80, 220 H st. ne.
Emma Lustig, 78, 6215 12th st. nw.
Percy Hicklins, 75, Georgetown Hospl.
William J. Stepp, 72, G. W. Hospl.
Mary M. Butt, 61, 1701 Bay st. se.
Henry M. Conlin, 61, U. S. S. Home Hospl.
Marion D. Noyes, 60, 2618 Garfield nw.
Leon White, 55, Gallinger Hospl.
Mary E. Webb, 54, Sibley Hospl.
Lewis J. Gray, 49, Georgetown Hospl.
Salvatore A. Catalano, 47, 2630 Wis. ave. nw.
Marie Halloran, 40, St. Eliz. Hospl.
Gordon Barret, 34, Casualty Hospl.
Infant Green, 10 mins, Garfield Hospl.
Charles S. Washington, 72, 934 Eastern ave. ne.
Serafa Brown, 66, 2266 6th st.
Harrison Corbin, 49, 2630 Wis. ave. nw.
Harrison Pinkney, 46, St. Eliz. Hospl.
Infant Keys, 4 days, Freedm. Hospl.
Infant Beverly, 1 hr., Freedm. Hospl.
Infant West, 13 mins., 2100 Flagler pl. nw.

Births

William and Ann Wallace, jr., boy.
Harold and Jean Burke, boy.
Eugene and Dorothy Cloud, boy.
Joan and Anne Adair, jr., girl.
Joseph and Thelma Mella, girl.
Joseph and Maureen Doyle, girl.
Marvin and June Glover, girl.
William and Janet Farr, girl.
Chester and Helen McLaughlin, girl.
Robert and Genevieve Hyde, girl.
Russel and Gertrude Mills, girl.
Josiah and Virginia Popejoy, girl.
Harry and Regina DeVal, twin boys.
Harry and Eva Darhanson, boy.
Herman and Charlotte Schimel, boy.
Harry and Mary Goldstein, boy.
Joseph and Margaret Talley, boy.
Theodore and Maude McGee, boy.
William and Minnie Smith, boy.
Charles and Grace Little, boy.

Proposals

COMMISSIONERS, D. C., WASHINGTON, January 9, 1939. Sealed proposals will be received at Room 509, District Building, until 2 p. m., January 30, 1939, and then publicly opened, for the construction of 932 linear feet, more or less, of 24" diameter terra cotta pipe sewer, in South Dakota avenue northeast extended, between Allison street and Twelfth street, extended. Apply Room 427, District Building, for proposals and specifications. 9-14.

P. W. A. PROJECT NO. D. C. 1020-F
UNITS 1A & 4.
COMMISSIONERS OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, Washington, D. C. Separate sealed bids for the construction and completion of the Superstructure of Ward Building No. 3 (including X-Ray Equipment and the construction of a Central Heating Plant, at Gallinger Municipal Hospital, D. C., located east of Nineteenth Street and south of B Street, Southeast (in Reservation No. 13), Washington, D. C., will be received by said Commissioners at Room 509, District Building, Washington, D. C., until 2 o'clock P. M., JANUARY 31, 1939, and then publicly opened and read aloud. The Instructions to Bidders, Form of Bid, Form of Contract, Plans, Specifications, and Forms of Bid Bond and Performance Bond may be examined and secured at the Office of the Chief Clerk, Engineer Department, Room 427, District Building, and copies thereof obtained upon deposit of a certified check, payable to the Collector of Taxes, D. C., in the sum of Fifty Dollars ($50.00) for each set. Not more than three (3) sets of drawings and specifications, etc., will be furnished to any one general contractor. Upon returning such sets promptly and in good condition, said deposits will be refunded. The Commissioners reserve the right to waive any informalities in or to reject any or all bids. Each bidder must deposit with his bid security in an amount equal to five per centum (5%) of the base bid in the form and subject to the conditions provided in the Instructions to Bidders. Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract. No bidder may withdraw his bid within 30 days after the actual date of the opening thereof. G. M. THORNETT, Secretary, Board of Commissioners, D. C. Dec. 31, 1938. 4.5.6.11.12.13

Ship Movements

At New York

Arrived Yesterday
American Merchant, from London.
Paris, from Havre.
Volendam, from Rotterdam.

Arrive Today
Rex, from Naples.

Arrive Tomorrow
Ascania, from Havre.
Britannic, from Liverpool.
Hansa, from Hamburg.
Scanyork, from Gdynia.

Sailing Today
Examelia, for Casablanca.

Sailing Tomorrow
American Merchant, for Plymouth.
Ascania, for Southampton.
Black Osprey, for Antwerp.
Mormacsun, for Gothenburg.
Vingaren, for Gothenburg.

Legal Notices

ALLAN FISHER, Attorney,
1333 G Street Northwest.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE United States for the District of Columbia. Miriam B. Wolf, plaintiff, vs. William J. Ryan et al., defendants. Civil Action No. 789. Order of publication. The object of this suit is to secure the appointment of a substitute trustee in order that the powers and authority vested in the trustees under certain deeds of trust hereinafter described may be properly executed; namely, two deeds of trust each dated July 20, 1927, and recorded in liber 5032, at folio 423, and liber 5032, at folio 419 of the land records of the District of Columbia, relating to lot 21 in square 3997 and to lot 22 in square 5997, respectively, from William J. Ryan and Edith Ryan, his wife, to Bert T. Amos and J. M. Goldsmith, trustees, to secure by each of said deeds of trust the payment of a certain promissory note signed by the said William J. Ryan and Edith Ryan, his wife, and made payable to the order of Thomas E. Driscoll. The said J. M. Goldsmith, one of the co-trustees, has departed from the District of Columbia and his present whereabouts are unknown, and the said William J. Ryan and Edith Ryan are also nonresidents of said District, on motion of the plaintiff, it is this 28th day of December, 1938, ordered that the defendants, J. M. Goldsmith, address unknown, and William J. Ryan and Edith Ryan, both care of Consumers Coal Co., 111 West Washington Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois, cause their appearance to be entered herein on or before the fortieth day, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, occurring after the day of the first publication of this order; otherwise the cause will be proceeded with as in case of default. Provided, a copy of this order be published once a week for three successive weeks in the Washington Law Reporter and The Washington Post newspaper, before said day. BOLITHA J. LAWS, Justice. Attest: (Seal.) CHARLES E. STEWART, Clerk. By ANDREW A. HORNER, Assistant Clerk. 29.5.12

McKENNEY, FLANNERY & CRAIGHILL, Attorneys.

PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given this 3d day of January, 1939, that on January 2, 1939, John Rowland Hill, a resident of the District of Columbia, was admitted as a general partner in the limited partnership of Y. E. BOOKER & CO., heretofore consisting of George Hewitt Myers, special partner, and Yelverton E. Booker and Harry W. Finney, as general partners, all residents of the District of Columbia, as evidenced by a certificate duly recorded in the office of the clerk of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, now District Court of the United States for the District of Columbia), on October 1, 1929, and renewed and reconstituted by certificates recorded in said office on or about April 21, 1932, and January 30, 1934, and said limited partnership has been renewed and reconstituted and will be continued by Yelverton E. Booker, Harry W. Finney and John Rowland Hill, as general partners, and George Hewitt Myers, as a special partner, under the same firm name, for the purpose of transacting a general investment banking and stock and bond brokerage business for the term expiring on December 31, 1943, unless sooner dissolved by mutual consent, with the same total capital of One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars ($150,000), of which the special partner, George Hewitt Myers, has contributed One Hundred and Twenty Thousand Dollars ($120,000), and the offices of the partnership will continue to be in the American Security Building, 730 Fifteenth street, northwest, Washington, D. C. The business of the partnership will be transacted by the general partners only. George Hewitt Myers special partner shall not be liable for or subject to any loss or liability beyond the amount of his aforesaid contribution.

GEORGE HEWITT MYERS,
Special Partner.
YELVERTON E. BOOKER,
HARRY W. FINNEY,
JOHN ROWLAND HILL,
General Partners.
5.6.7.12.13.14.19.20.21.26.27.28

Auction Sales

MONDAY, JANUARY 16, 1939—
THOS. J. OWEN & SON, AUCTIONEERS, 1431 Eye Street, Northwest.

AUCTION SALE OF ROW BRICK DWELLING, SEVEN ROOMS, ONE AND ONE-HALF BATHS, HOT-WATER HEAT-OIL, DETACHED GARAGE, BEING NO. 5324 FORTY-FIRST STREET, NORTHWEST.

We will sell at public auction in front of the premises on MONDAY, THE SIXTEENTH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1939, AT FOUR-THIRTY O'CLOCK P. M., lot 52 in square 1742.

TERMS: All cash over a prior first trust for about $5,500.00; payable $52.25 a month, including taxes, insurance, principal curtail and interest at 5½%. Deposit, $300.00 required. Conveyancing, etc., at cost of purchaser. Settlement in thirty days or deposit forfeited. Unoccupied. (Open for inspection daily from 1 to 6 p. m.)

THOS. J. OWEN & SON.
ja.10.12.14.15. Auctioneers.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 24, 1939—
ADAM A. WESCHLER & SON, Auctioneers.

REAL ESTATE NOTES AT AUCTION.

By virtue of the terms of a certain collateral note dated December 23, 1935, payable on demand, default having occurred in the payment of same, the undersigned, holders thereof, will sell by public auction within the office of the Franklin Liquidating Trust, 945 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, on TUESDAY, JANUARY 24, 1939, AT TEN O'CLOCK A. M., the collateral pledged for the payment thereof, namely, note dated March 10, 1930, in the sum of $3,000.00, with interest at 7%, signed by Samuel H. Landy, secured by deed of trust, recorded March 12, 1930, in Liber 6426, at folio 465, on Lot 810 in Square 2909, improved by several garages, in Washington, D. C.; also, note dated June 20, 1938, in the sum of $8,000.00, with interest at 6% per annum from August 20, 1938, signed by Sophie Landy, secured by third deed of trust, recorded June 21, 1938, in Liber 7239, at folio 317, on Lots 31 and 32 in Square 2906, improved by an apartment building, No. 904 Shepherd street northwest, Washington, D. C., subject to first and second deeds of trust totaling $60,000.00.

TERMS: Cash. All parties in interest please take notice.

HENRY J. STERZER,
LINDSEY P. RAWLEY,
WILLIAM F. KELLY,
Trustees, Franklin Liquidating Trust.
Post—Jan.12.14.17.19.24

ADAM A. WESCHLER & SON, Auctioneers.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF MODERN RESTAURANT, DELICATESSEN AND SODA EQUIPMENT, BOOTH, ELECTRIC REFRIGERATION, BEVERAGES, GROCERIES, ETC.
ALSO
Unexpired Term of Lease

By virtue of a chattel trust recorded in Liber 7209 at folio 373, among the records of the recorder of deeds, D. C., and at the request of the party secured thereby the undersigned trustee will sell

By Public Auction
At Fort Stevens Delicatessen
6200 GEORGIA AVE. N.W.
THURSDAY
January 12, 1939, 3 P. M.

Electrified soda fountain, carbonator and accessories; 13 booths, beer dispenser and pump, G. E. refrigerating case, ventilating and exhaust fans, U. S. slicing machine, walnut formica-top bar-counter, electrified and mirrored back bar to match; counter-stools, tables, chairs, scales, stainless steel 4-door refrigerated cabinet, sandwich toaster, electric mixers, radio-clock combination, National cash register, Underwood typewriter, Neon signs, Frigidaire and two (2) G. E compressors, gas water heater, Oreole 4-door refrigerator, coffee urn, steam table, meat block, Southbend gas range-griddle-broiler; sink, lighting fixtures, kitchen utensils and requisites, china, glass, plated ware, canned groceries and provisions, tobacco, etc.

ALSO
Unexpired Term of Lease

TERMS: Subject to liens of record; over said liens, cash. Particulars at time of sale, or upon application to the undersigned attorney. JACK ZOSLOW, Trustee.

NATHAN M. LUBAR, Attorney for Trustee, Bank of Commerce and Savings Bldg.
ja.10.11.12

If your needs cannot be filled from these columns, phone Mrs. Eddy, The Washington Post, National 4200—who will be glad to help you.

ALEXANDRIA

HUDSON SUPPLY & EQUIPMENT CO. Insulation. Free Estimates. DISTRICT 1070.

SMITHFIELD ham, sm. razorback, 10-18 lb., 65c lb.; will bake, $1 ext. Alex. 3339.

ARLINGTON

Lumber, Millwork, Roofing, Insulite. MURPHY & AMES, INC., Phone CH. 1111. Falls Church 1180.

MUSIC STUDIO—Peabody Artist's Piano Diploma. 2523 Wilson blvd. OX. 2530.

RADIO SALE—10% discount. Barney Appliance Co., 3217 N. Wash. bl. OX. 3238.

BETHESDA-CHEVY CHASE

AUTO REPAIRS—Body and FENDERS. Est. IMIRIE'S. 6820 Wisconsin. WI. 3420.

CEMENT WORK, reinf. pches., wet cellars cured; guar. G. W. Thomas, EM. 9376.

BRIGHTWOOD

PAPERING, painting, 5 rms., 2-story, hall, $45; qual. work; Sunfast paper. RA. 1158.

CLEVELAND PARK

PAINTING, papering—Low rates now. 3516 Conn. ave. nw. EM. 2065 for est.

COLUMBIA HEIGHTS.

PAPERHANGING $5 per rm. Will clean up for you. CO. 9745.

DOWNTOWN

ARCHITECTURAL drawings, plans; permits procured; special prices now. Earl Von Reichenbach, 2106 Nichols se. LI. 10239.

CARPENTERING, painting; half-price; good work; free estimates. DI. 6479.

CAMERA REPAIRING
FULLER & d'ALBERT, Inc.
815 10th St. NW. Phone NA. 4712.

ESSENO AUTO SUPPLY CO., Special-ist Delivery Service. 801 H nw. ME. 9182.

FALSE TEETH REPAIRING "while you wait." Emergency Laboratory. Rm. 902, Westory Bldg., 14th and F nw. ME. 1833.

IRON AND PIPE RAILINGS for steps, landings. Del Maso Bros., DI. 4236.

RADIO Repairs. All makes. Radio Laboratory, 907 You nw. DU. 9050.

TRASH REMOVED by contract or by job. Diggs Express. RE. 1336.

MID-CITY.

JACK'S GUAR. MOVING—12 yrs.' experience. Reas. DU. 4000, night DU. 1288.

PAPERING—Paper furnished and hung, $4 and up. Perkins, DU. 8486.

PLASTERING, cement work; no job too far, too small. Wm. Thomas, DI. 4570.

NORTHEAST

IF IT IS PLASTERING, stucco, stippling walls; specialist; reasonable. LI. 5317.

PAINTING Roof repairing; brick siding; exprt. mchnics. GR. 2979-W.

NORTH CAPITOL

PAPER furnished and hung, $4 up. Scraping reas. G. Donaldson, LI. 5634-J.

PETWORTH

Painting Papering; guar.; reas.; estimates free. M. L. SMITH. 1724 Webster st. nw. AD. 7108-7200.

SOUTHEAST

50c RADIO SERVICE.
90 Days Guarantee. Tubes, 29c up. FOGLEMAN'S, ATlantic 1677.

WEST-END

AUTO body, fender repairs, straightening. Univ. Auto Body Co. 1822 M nw. NA. 1058

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING
LOCAL RATES

For Washington and Points Within 84 Miles of the District of Columbia.
The following rates are for consecutive insertions:

1 time.....19c per line.
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7 times.....15c per line.
13 times.....13c per line.

The one-time rate applies on skip ads or irregular insertions.

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Ads from points more than 50 miles from the District of Columbia are: 1 time, 21c per line; 3 times, 20c per line. 7 times, within 30 days, 17c per line.

When computing the cost of an ad kindly estimate 5½ average words to a line.

Rates for special classification and yearly contracts furnished upon request.

The Washington Post reserves the right to edit, revise or reject any classified advertising.

Misclassification of ads not permitted.

The Washington Post will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion on any order.

Kill Orders or Corrections before insertions (excepting Death Notices) cannot be made unless ordered before 6 p. m. daily or 4 p. m. Saturday for Sunday.

The Washington Post strives at all times to prevent insertion of fraudulent or misleading advertisements.

Information concerning any ad that proves misleading or fraudulent will be appreciated.

Phone NAtional 4200
Ask for an Ad-Writer

THESE DRUG STORES WILL TAKE YOUR WANT AD, DAY AND NIGHT.

Alaska Ave. Pharmacy, 7806 Alaska Ave.
Chevy Chase Pharmacy, 5510 Connecticut Ave.
Garfield Park Drug Store, 311 15th St. S.E.
Hallstork Pharmacy, 732 2nd St. S.W.
Imperial Pharmacy, 2624 P St. N.W.
Johnson Pharmacy, 600 3rd St. S.W.
Jolson Pharmacy, 5000 First St. N.W.
Matthews Pharmacy, 1257 South Capitol Street.
Modern Drug, 1300 11th St. N.W.
Novelty Store, 1601 11th St. N.W.
Park View Pharmacy, Georgia Ave. and Park Road.
Paul's Drug Store, 901 Fourth St. S.W.
Smoot Pharmacy, 1548 N. J. Ave. N.W.
Standard Drug, 1748 7th St. N.W.
Suter's Drug Store, 1841 Columbia Road.
Williams Pharmacy, 501 First St. S.W.

Lost and Found 1

You can phone your "Lost and Found" ads to The Post until 11 p. m. for insertion the following morning. For the Sunday Post, Saturday, 4 p. m. ("Found" ads are published free.)

BAG—Wh. knitting, ivory needles; bet. Cathedral ave-Porter st. Rew. WI. 2733.

BULLDOG, female, light brown, white diamond on head; black face; answers to "Kuni." Reward. WOodley 1442.

ROLL OF $1 BILLS, vicinity 13th and F sts. Reward. 5529 39th st. nw. EM. 4414.

FOUND—Female hound, brown and white; female police, brown; male police, gray; male mixed collie, black and white; male mixed spitz, black and white. District Pound, NA. 6000.

RENTS DOWNTOWN ROOM QUICKLY THRU POST AD.

DOWNTOWN, 1216 14th st. nw.—Warm, newly furn. doub. rm. $25 for 2. DI. 7961.

Whenever Mrs. Pat Guido has a vacant room, she has no problem finding a tenant. She simply runs an ad in The Post's room column. You'll find it's quicker and cheaper in the long run to have YOUR room listed in The Post. To place your ad in The Post, simply call our Miss Reed, NAtional 4200.

Post Classified Ads—National 4200.

Personals 3

BETTER Health Studio; colds and chronic pains treated. Trained nurse. PO. 4721.

DENTAL PLATES REPAIRED "while you wait." Mod. Dental Lab'tories, Rm. 502, Westory Bldg., 14th & F nw. NA. 0773.

EDITOR, with varied experience in revising manuscripts for publication; will edit promotion or advertising copy; assist young writers. For free general journalistic instruction, MI. 0446.

FALSE TEETH REPAIRED while U wait. Emergency Laboratories, 605 14th st. nw. Room 902. ME. 1833.

HEMORRHOIDS (piles) eradicated by my own methods; results effective for a lifetime or money back. Write for booklet. No drugs or surgery. DR. SOMMERWERCK, 1365 Columbia road. AD. 0388.

NATIONALLY known writer-journalist (successful in selling his own work) will help beginners revise or rewrite their stories or mss. to make them more readily salable. For appt., address GHOST WRITER, P. O. Box 336, Washington.

Motor Travel 10

WASH. Auto Travel Service, NAt. 3705. Sedans N. Y. City, Fla., Calif. Share exp.

Help—Female 11

Women—If you don't find your position in the Help Wanted Column today—place a "Situations Wanted" Ad in The Post. A 2-line ad costs only 19 cents.

BOOKKEEPERS, typists, stenographers, expr., current openings. BOYD'S, 1333 F st.

COOK, houseworker, experienced, for private home; live in; good wages; references. Call NA. 0334.

MAID, experienced, for cooking, general housework; sleep in; references required. Apply 3415 Conn. ave.

NURSES, reg. and practical; doc. ass't.; drug store help; secretaries; typists, etc. Personnel Service, 1311 G st.

STENOGRAPHERS, typists; expr. and good hes.; daily openings. BOYD'S, 1333 F st.

WANTED—Competent bookkeeper-cashier, 25 to 35, for local branch office of large insurance company. Reply in own handwriting to Box 169, Washington Post.

LADIES UNEMPLOYED—JOB OPEN
Apply Mrs. Brooks, 715 9th St. NW.

COLORED girl wants job, chambermaid or g. h. w.; no cooking; sleep in. Write Mildred Johnson, Mitchellville, Md.

COLORED girl to clean office. Call DE. 2516 between 9 and 11 a. m. Thursday, Mr. Jackson.

Help—Male 12

Men—If you don't find your position in the Help Wanted Column today—place a "Situations Wanted" Ad in The Post. A 2-line ad costs only 19 cents.

APPAREL CO. can place neat man, 21-35, in customers dept.; earnings about $25 a week to start; advancement. Rm. 205, 1427 Eye st. nw.; 9:30-4:30 p. m.

BARBER—Steady job, guarantee. Can make big money. 714 14th st. nw.

BARBER wanted, steady, A-1, for Sat. and Sun.; $8 guarantee and comm. 437 9th st. nw.

BARBER, first-class. Barr Bldg. Barber Shop, 914 17th st. nw.

BARBER—Colored, for white trade; neat; guarantee and comm. 823 15th st. nw.

BARBER WANTED—Young man preferred. Must have D. C. license. 929 15th st. nw.

BOOKKEEPING Machine opr., Burroughs; age 23 to 30 yrs.; banking exp. preferred; $100 mo. Boyd's, 1333 F st. nw. NAt. 2340.

MAN—White; carpenter, plumber, painter preferred; may earn room, part-time work, or secure board and room for $4.75 weekly. Co-operative Club, 1607 Eye st. nw.

MAN for est., territory sales by appointment; earnings $35 wk. REAL SILK. Phone Mr. Mason, NAt. 7357.

SELL our service to stores. Every $7.50 sale pays you $3 commission. Apply 3402 Rhode Island ave. ne.

P. B. X. opr., hotel exp.; night work; age 30 to 45; $70 mo. Boyd's, 1333 F st. nw. NAt. 2340.

PORTER—Experienced, for barber shop. Can make good money. 714 14th st. nw.

STENOGRAPHERS, (5); gen. comm. exp., age 19 to 25; $18 to $30 wk. Boyd's, 1333 F st. nw. NAt. 2340.

MAN With vacuum cleaner experience; must have car; salary; no canvassing. Phone NAtl. 3414.

STENOGRAPHERS
Exp.; age 25 to 30. Gentile; adv. and mds. exp.; $30 to $35 wk. Boyd's, 1333 F st. nw. NAt. 2340.

CIVIL ENGINEER
Grad. of recognized school. Must have designing and reinforced concrete exp.; $150 to $200 mo. Boyd's, 1333 F st. nw. NAt. 2340.

CHEVROLET SALESMEN
We have openings for several sober and industrious men who have had previous experience selling low-priced new automobiles in Washington. Demonstrators furnished; excellent floor plan and one of the best commission plans in the city. See Mr. Roberts, Addison Chevrolet Sales Co., Inc., 1437 Irving st. nw.

Help—Male-Female 13

COOK—White woman; live in; also colored or white houseman; $32 month each and board. Apply 2230 Mass. ave. nw.

Employment Agencies 14

RUPHER'S Employment Agency can furnish colored domestic help; ref. DE. 3551.

Situations—Female 16

DRESSMAKER, colored, at home or our by day. DUp. 6077.

EXPERIENCED colored stenographer, typist, general office worker; refs. Dorothy Lee, DE. 4950-J.

GIRL, colored, wants work as chambermaid, waitress. Stay nights. AD. 9806.

GIRL, colored, wishes job cleaning or nursing. Call DUpont 7489.

MAID, cook; colored; city references; not live in. POt. 4230-W.

Situations—Male 17

BARBER—Young American wishes better position. Write Barber, 2214 Tunlaw rd.

BUTLER-chauffeur (colored) desires position with private family; 15 years experience. City references. DUpont 4784.

COOK-MANAGER rooming and boarding house; white; reliable. Box 168, W. Post.

MAN, colored, exp. houseman, wishes part-time work, any kind; start 12 noon. DUp. 6820.

MAN, 25, refined, varied exp.; consider any type work. Hill, CO. 4802.

Instructions 19

P. B. X. training; some typ'g.; brief course. Miss West, Room 204, 1311 G. NA. 2117.

FRANK LANDER OSTEEN.
Voice Studios. Popular. Classic. Opera. 1712 Conn. Ave. N.W. DEcatur 0870.

LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE.
WARFLYNN BEAUTY COLLEGE.
1018 Vermont Ave. DI. 1782.

Post Classified Ads—National 4200.

Rooms—Furnished 30

O ST. NW., 2119—Artist studio room, 4 windows; c. h. w.; reasonable.

OAK ST. NW., 1348, near 14th and Park rd., small front, $10 mo.; larger, $15.

OAK ST. NW., 1438—Large, bright room, adj. bath; small priv. family; $16.

PLAZA, Apt. 305, 2210 Pa. ave. nw., opp. Wash. Circle—1, 2 gentlemen preferred.

QUE ST. NW., 2233—Attractive front rm., semipriv. bath; gentleman; references.

R ST. NW., 2024 (just off Conn. ave.)—Large front room; suitable 3; innerspring mattresses; penthouse; very desir.; ref. home; $15 ea. Also dble., $20 ea.

SENATE HOTEL, 101 D st. ne., 2 blocks from Capitol—Rooms with bath, $12; rooms with running water, $8. LI. 5187.

TAKOMA PARK—South exposure room for 1 or 2; in apt. Oil heat. Express bus. 216-218. SH. 2355-W.

THE WESTMINSTER, 1607 17th nw. Warm, comfortable rooms with running water; singles, $4.50 up; doubles, $6 up. Plenty hot water; showers; elevator.

UNIVERSITY PL. NW., 2564, off Clifton between 14th and 15th—Lovely bed-living room and sun parlor; 2nd floor; grill and entertaining privileges; $30. Basement, gentlemen or couple, $10 each.

VARNUM ST., 1514—Nicely furnished living room, sleeping porch, twin beds, priv. shower, $40. Kitchen priv. opt.

WYOMING AVE. NW., 2212—Front room, private bath, cedar closet, private family. Every convenience. Gentleman, $40 mo.

5TH ST. S. E., 115—Near Navy Yard; well furnished room; oil heat; continuous hot water; $16 single, $20 month double.

13TH ST. N.W., 3514—Attractive single rm.; unlimited phone; $15 mo. CO. 0618.

16TH ST. N.W., 3360—Ideal home, 2d floor front; double or single rooms.

16TH ST. N.W. 1409—Newly furn. rooms, near bath, shower; downtown. DE. 5624.

16TH ST. N.W., 3035—Detached home; 2 large front rooms; reasonable. AD. 6265.

16TH ST. NW., 5711—Large beautiful furnished master bedroom for Congressional people; also large single. GE. 4443.

17TH ST. SE., 701—Large front room, twin beds; a. m. l.; gentlemen; $12.50 each.

21ST ST. N.W., 1619—Large room and kitchenette; everything furnished; $30 double; convenient transportation.

21ST ST. N.W., 1722—Nicely furn. warm room, c.h.w., unlim. phone; walking distance downtown; priv. home; reasonable.

28TH ST NW., 2917, near Wardman—Corner room, priv. bath, shower; c. h. w.; automatic heat; gentleman. AD. 3260.

35TH ST. NW., 1328—1 large room, next bath; all new furniture; newly decorated; reasonable.

38TH ST. NW., 2918, nr. Cathedral—Large rm., priv. bath, radio, $25; new priv. det. home; 1 or 2 gentlemen. WO. 5602.

Housekeeping Suites 30A

E ST. NW., 208—Basement 2 rooms, priv. bath and entrance; also sleeping, $3.

FAIRMONT ST. NW., 1338—Large south room, 2d floor, next bath; 1 dble. k.; kitchenette; water; adults; reasonable.

N ST. NW., 1012 (corner 11th)—Newly decorated, large master bedroom, east and north exposure; twin beds, 2 large closets, new elec. refrig. and new gas burner. Oil heat, electrically controlled hot water and heating system; use laundry. Walking distance. DIs. 7691.

NEAR CAPITOL—Large front rm., kit.; also 3 rooms, bath; reas. 133 C st. ne.

R. I. AVE. N.W., 38—Large front rm.; l.h.k.; with alcove dinette; $7 week.

17TH ST. N.E., 1237—Large front room, next bath; heat, gas, elec.; $7 wk., adults.

1325 VERMONT AVE. NW.—Large, nicely furnished, 2d-floor front, 5 large windows, open fireplace, gas range; also middle room, l. h. k. DEc. 0235.

Wanted—Furn. Rooms 32A

SPACIOUS, double room, modernly furnished, private bath, telephone, breakfast only; reasonable rate; two single professional men, permanent residence. Exclusive middle Northwest section only. Private residential accommodations preferred. Box 167, Washington Post.

Room and Board 34

CATHEDRAL, at Conn., 2850 27th st. nw.—Ground floor rm. with shower for young man; communicating rms., private bath for 3. COl. 5787.

COLUMBIA RD. NW., 2011—Well furnished room; home cooking; $35 ea. DU. 2082.

DOWNTOWN—Newly furnished master bedroom, adj. bath, shower; private residence; home cooking; walking distance Govt. depts.; gents. or couple. DE. 4508.

GLOVER PARK, 2458 Tunlaw road nw.—2 rms., kit., priv. bath, with encl. porch; lights, gas, refrig. and heat included. Gentiles. WOodley 4270 after 6 p. m.

KALORAMA RD. N.W., 1848—Well furn. master bedrm., 3 windows, pvt. bath, home privileges, uni. ph. COl. 1432.

MASS. AVE. NW., 1708—Home of Christian atmosphere and attractiveness for young women who are employed; delicious meals. NO. 2411.

MASSACHUSETTS AVE. NW., 1776—A distinctive home for young people in an unsurpassed location; reasonable.

MT. PLEASANT—Rm with sleeping porch; comfortable home; $30 each. CO. 9658.

MT. PLEASANT, 1801 Kenyon st. nw.—One triple, 1 double, 2 twin beds; next to bath and shower; telephone, garage. AD. 4453.

UPSHUR ST. N.W., 1715—Nicely furn. single front room, running water. Next bath; unlim. phone; excell. food; reas.

WYOMING AVE. NW., 2144—Delightful sunny rm., sgl., dbl.; good food. PO

Read This Page for Used Car Bargains From Reliable Dealers

Post Classified Ads—National 4200.

Apartments—Unfurn. 47

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2445 15th ST. N.W.
MERIDIAN PARK APTS.
2 rooms, kitchen, dinette, bath, service; opposite Meridian Park $62.50
3 rooms, kitchen, dining alcove and bath $67.50
H. L. RUST COMPANY.
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$67.50 2 ROOMS, KITCHEN & BATH
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SEMIDET., 7 r., 2½ b., 4 bedrms., 4 glass-incl. porches; 3 garages; oil heat; insul.; on 16th st. bus line. 1335 Spring pl. nw.

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Suburban—Rent 58

ARLINGTON, VA.—Several desirable houses and apts. for rent. ALBERT H. COHEN. Realtor, 1042 N. Irving st. CH. 1661.

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2 rooms, kitchenette and bath, $32.50.
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Suburban Apartments 58A

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Sale Houses 66

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A charming detached center hall planned home in one of the finest NW. sections, on a large level lot, for less than
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All brick, 7 large rooms (including den on first floor), 2 modern tile baths, large screened living porch. Air conditioned by oil, and the best in construction throughout. Truly an unequaled value. Very reasonable terms can be arranged. To inspect call WOodley 2765.

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Newly reconditioned. 18-ft. row brick house, with double back porches and garages. Close to schools and stores.
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Small Down Payment
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COLORED—153 Adams st. nw. Colonial front porch, 6 rooms, bath, h.-w. h.; elec. Your price and terms. DE. 1160.

Wanted—Houses 67

ARLINGTON—5 or 6 rms., bath; with some ground; modern, or will consider house needing improvements if priced right; can pay cash; no agents; state price and location. Box M-311 The Wash. Post.

Sale or Exchange 68

HYATTS., MD. (815 Forest drive)—Compl. furn., 6 rms., bath, finished attic, full basement; refrig., radio, etc. Sell furn. or trade equity for larger home in suburbs, with 1 or 2 acres ground. SH. 3803.

Sale Lots 69

BETHESDA SECTION, near new school bus line; fine lots, 60x120 ft.; water, gas and electricity available. Price, $720, $25 cash, $10 per month. Ask for Mr. Hughes.
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Suburban Lots 69A

OFF BALTO. PIKE, nr. Hollywood, Md., & Md. Univ.; large corner site suitable for residence. Box M-303, Wash. Post.

Suburban for Sale 70

ARLINGTON—Close in; new house; 6 large rms.; scr. side porch; built-in gar.; wooded lot; $7,500. CH. 5508. OX. 1001.

ARLINGTON—Unusual buys in 3-bedroom brick homes, $7,450 up; mo. payments begin in March. Dick Bassett, CH. 5057.

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$5,950. FHA loan to 90%.
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In an excellent neighborhood.
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Suburban for Sale 70

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On beautiful, large, wooded lot, one block from bus. Large porch, living room with fireplace, air-conditioned oil burner, $5,950, $600 cash, $41.50 per month, including taxes and insurance.
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HYATTSVILLE HILLS, MD.
8 UNIVERSITY DRIVE.
5-room bungalow in modern condition; with new stove, hot-water furnace, gas hot-water heater and handsome appointments throughout. Lot 50x136.
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MOUNT VERNON CORPORATION.
207 Machinists' Building.

Sale—Farms, Land 73

SPLENDID—8-rm. house; bath; elec.; basement; firepl.; stately forest trees; barn; orchard; 6-acres; 30-min. D. C.; $5,500. RALPH CRAIN, 4309 Lee Hwy., CH. 3259.

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Sale—Shores, Waterfront 74

110-ACRE waterfront estate, 23 miles from Washington; 8-room rustic lodge with 3 baths; large living room with stone fireplace; 3 screened porches; servants' quarters and 2-car garage; basement and fine lighting plant; fully insulated and suitable for year-round living; boathouse and power winch; house is completely furnished; about 1 mile water frontage with good fishing and duck shooting; clear of debt; price $28,000; $8,000 cash, balance monthly. MASON HIRST, exclusive agent, Annandale, Va., at the end of Columbia pike. Phone ALexandria 869-J-1. Closed Sundays.

7 ACRES $650; on mile-wide estuary Potomac River. Fine view and excellent duck hunting; 50 miles D. C. GIBONS, Barr Bldg. DU. 4929.

Real Estate Wanted 76

WANTED TO TRADE CITY HOUSE for farm or suburban property. Write WARING, Box 94, Landover, Md.

Business Opportunities 77

BARBER SHOP, 4 chairs, well furnished; cash or terms. 1014 Eye st. nw.

BARBER SHOP—Well established in excellent location. Owner has other interests. Reas. for quick sale. 4718 14th nw.

DINE AND DANCE place, Bladensburg rd. $500 wkly.; $6,500; easy terms. Bob Hollander, 907 Tower Bldg. MEt. 4814.

DOWNTOWN—Small hotel, 2 stores; good income; also 10-room house Dupont Circle; all filled; must sac. Inform., DI. 5269

LIQUOR STORE—Doing $700 week; rent, $75. $6,500 plus stock. 1427 7/e st. nw., Room 200. NAtl. 1002.

ROOMING HOUSE, 18 RMS. 16TH AT K ST. N.W.
5 baths; long established; all filled. Real room renting location. Check profit; $1,500 down payment.
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ROOMING HOUSE—Downtown; 15 rms.; rent $95; oil heat; income $250; $1,200; terms.
KEACH & McCOWN, 1730 H N.W. Rep. 2910.

ROOMING HOUSE near large Gov't bldg.; nicely furn. and attractive; oil heat; filled with cultured people; owner leaving for West; must sacrifice; $650.
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ROOMING HOUSE near Conn. ave. and R; 14 nicely furnished rooms; rent $125; good income; filled; only $2,000; good terms; a lovely location.
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New Hampshire ave., 1 block from Dupont Circle; detached house surrounded by beautiful yard; 2-car garage; elaborately furnished. Clean as a pin. Catering to people who can afford the price. $1,800 handles.
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Dogs, Cats, Pets 79

CHOW puppy, 8 weeks old, excellent pet for children. $8. DEc. 2774.

Horses—Livestock 81

3 LARGE young mares, 6 work horses, 2 saddle horses. 110 M st. se. AT. 2731.

Sale Miscellaneous 83

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BAR, solid walnut; complete; glasses and syphon bottle; $50; cost $160. RA. 5019.

CHAIRS AND TABLES FOR RENT for all occasions. D. MOYER, 633 Indiana ave. DI. 8112.

CIGAR COUNTER, with humidor; cashier's desk, with showcase; sterilizer tube. Michigan 7271.

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Sale Miscellaneous 83

COIN OPERATED PHONOGRAPH—Several late models, $35 up, easy terms.
E. O. Likens, 924 5th St. N.W.

COMMUNITY plate silver, 29 pieces, Noblesse pattern, $15. Hillside 0084-R.

ELECTRIC DRILL, double grinder, large size for machine shop. Peoples Salvage Co., 629 Mass. ave. nw.

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WOOD AND STEEL
H. BAUM & SON. 616 E ST. N.W.

FURNACE, hot water, 500 ft. radiation, 5 sections; guar.; $15. Akers. NA. 3068.

MULTIGRAPH, Model 36; prints postcard to legal size; was $150; sale price, $118.50. "UNITED." 813 14th st. nw.

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SUIT, man's dark gray, size 38, 47; boy's brown plaid overcoat, size 14, 25. 2564 University pl. nw.

2 BLACK COATS, fur collars, size 38-42; $7 each. AD. 3033 after 5 p. m.

Ian Mininberg
Author of
"Visual Approach to Piano Technique"
Droop's Invites You to Attend Three Lectures
With Piano Demonstrations
By
Ian Mininberg
Who will illustrate his unique combinations and lesson plans.
To Be Held Jan. 16 and 17, 9:30 a. m., at
SALLE DE RECITAL
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Under the Auspices of
DROOP'S
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Free Admission
Lecture Time, 9:30 A. M.

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ELECTRIC REFRIGERATORS. Westinghouse, 7 cu. ft., $90. Apex, 5 cu. ft., $65. Frigidaire, 4½ cu. ft., $65. Smith's Transfer & Storage Co., 1313 You st. nw. NO. 3343.

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Smith's Transfer & Storage Co.
1313 YOU ST. N.W. NO. 3343

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GOLD OR PLATINUM JEWELRY AND SILVERWARE AND GOLD TEETH, ANY CONDITION. WE PAY CASH. S. KAHN, INC., 46 YEARS AT 935 F ST. N.W.

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Pocahontas Pea	$7.50
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Penna Pea	$11.00
Penna Buckwheat	$9.40
Penna Chestnut or Stove	$13.10
Blue Banner Egg	$6.40
Virginia Pea	$8.50
Va. Hard, Stove or Nut	$10.25
Va. Hard Special Furnace	$9.25
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Nut and Slack	$6.50

Wood—Kindling, $8 Per Cord.
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In Washington and Virginia
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CONSOLIDATE your bills, 3 years to pay. Signatures or real estate loans. Peoples Mtg. Corp., 1306 R. I. ave. nw. DE. 3020.

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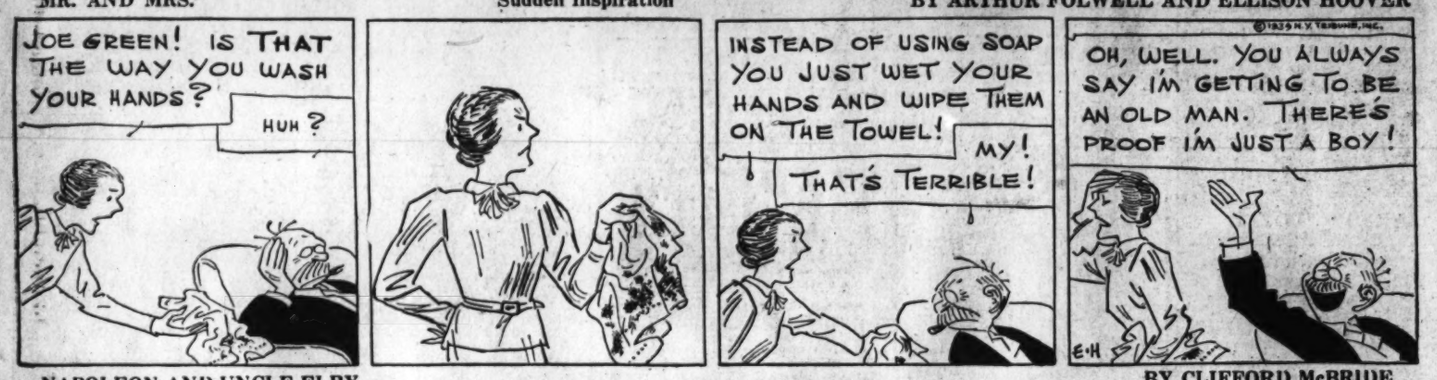
IT'S GOOD YOU DID - HE'D MADE IT SO HOT FOR US WE'D BE IN THE COOLER!
JINGLE JINGLE
FALSE ALARM FIRE CO
MY WIFE MAKES FOOD THE SWEETEST GOO THAT EVER GREW
HEY, FEATHER BRAIN - I THOUGHT WE HID YOUR ARROWS - WHERE'D YOU FIND THIS?
ME HEAP SMART INDIAN -
ME FINDUM TWO ARROWS NAILED ON BOX ON WALL!
TICK TICK TICK

WINNIE WINKLE — A Steed for Speed — BY BRANNER

SORRY, FOLKS, WE'VE BROKEN DOWN! WE'LL HAVE EVERY-THING FIXED IN SHORT ORDER!
BAH! TRAVELING BY BUS! ME? RUSSELL HAMS-WORTH RHODES - WHO HAS PLAYED SHAKESPEARE THE WORLD OVER!
OH, YOU'RE AN ACTOR!
HUMPH! BEFORE THE STUPID CINEMA USURPED THE SPOKEN DRAMA, I STARRED IN HAMLET, MACBETH -
IN RICHARD III, THE AUDIENCE CHEERED WHEN I READ MY FAMOUS LINE "A HORSE, A HORSE, MY KINGDOM FOR A HORSE!"
WE DON'T NEED A HORSE, MISTER! WE'LL BE ALL FIXED UP AND MOVING IN A FEW MINUTES!

MR. AND MRS. — Sudden Inspiration — BY ARTHUR FOLWELL AND ELLISON HOOVER


JOE GREEN! IS THAT THE WAY YOU WASH YOUR HANDS?
HUH?
INSTEAD OF USING SOAP YOU JUST WET YOUR HANDS AND WIPE THEM ON THE TOWEL!
MY! THAT'S TERRIBLE!
OH, WELL. YOU ALWAYS SAY I'M GETTING TO BE AN OLD MAN. THERE'S PROOF I'M JUST A BOY!

NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY — BY CLIFFORD McBRIDE

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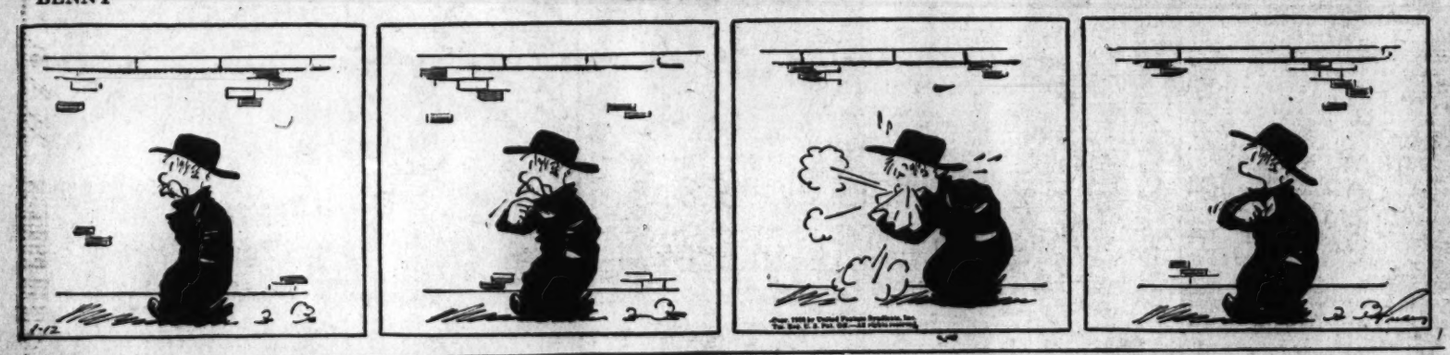
I HAVE PREPARE MY CHEF'S SPECIAL LOBSTAIRE THERMEEDOR!! AN' OO EET EH?? WHERE EEZ EVREEBODEE EH?? 'AN' WHAT ABOUT ZE FOOD I BUY FOR T'OUSANS EH??
LISSEN---I'M TH' ONE TAKIN' TH' LOSS---AN' IF I KIN YOU KIN!! YA---YA--- GARLIC EYED SCREWBALL.
AHA---I QUEET! I AM EENSULT. YOU ARE CRAZY! ZE GREAT EMILLE SHE'S QUEET. FAH!!

JOE PALOOKA — Emille Quits — BY HAM FISHER

BENNY — Gone With the Wind — BY J. CARVER PUSEY



The Federal Diary

By Scott Hart

Caught in the Corridors:

Yesterday this column discoursed on the cry from Maryland that so many of its first-rate citizens are taking Federal jobs (for better pay and conditions) that the Maryland civil service is actually suffering for want of competent new recruits. And somebody rejoins that the Federal Government is likewise squeezed by private industry—that Tugwell went off to a molasses concern while Yale, Harvard and sundry other concerns have drained the service of high thinkers almost in the proportion that they've given high thinkers to the Government.

THE Wage-Hour Division, currently having no money and suffering from pauper's thoughts, is being mildly bedeviled because it doesn't take on more staff from among the Labor Department personnel. At the moment, only one-third of the staff has been gotten from within the department. The complaint is grounded on the belief that a promotions-from-within policy could be magnificently put in effect in the new division. The situation is one of the new division's first growing pains—and from the agitation, the pain may become worse.

THE pioneer field of competitive promotions (C. S. Commissioner Ordway gave the notion a push sometime ago) and the tangled question of in-service training will be jousted with this week. First, the commission is prepared to discuss the questions with administrators and personnel directors of agencies and departments during the week 11th to 18th, in which time the ratings of noncompetitive nominees for personnel director will be completed and the designations of those who qualified approved . . . Secondly, on Saturday and Sunday, the U. F. W. A. sponsors sessions on in-service training. The meetings will be held in the North Interior Auditorium. Speakers will include Dr. Lewis Merian, Brookings Institution; Roy F. Hendrickson, Agriculture personnel director; C. S. Commissioner Samuel H. Ordway, jr., and Arthur S. Flemming, director, school of public affairs, American University.

WPA administrative employes have us to know that they're sore because stumbling blocks are laid in their path to civil service status. Aside from the implications that status might infer a long life for WPA, the employes want status rather because of its advantages in re-locating themselves should WPA explode.

CONSIDERING the in-service training programs for employes, the Government will have to concoct an intriguing curriculum ranging from letter writing, to comptometer operation, to lawn mowing, to statistics, to bookkeeping, to dictation, to marksmanship and to Spanish for the border customs patrols. And it will, more than likely, have to appoint a specialist in the Civil Service Commission to co-ordinate the program.

ALSO, in preparing the training, the Government will have to be sure not to compete with private institutions offering similar training. The program won't be a finished product this year.

IGNATIUS Jawney, of the Society of Federal Translators, gives the newly elected officers, as follows: Henry P. Lewis (War), president; Miss Gertrude W. Holinger (Patent Office), vice president; Miss Cecile V. Sughrue (Civil Service Commission), recording secretary; Walter E. Claflin, (War) corresponding secretary, and John V. McCall (RRB), treasurer. Bureau of Engraving and Printing retirements: Richard W. Stevens, offset pressman, 1338 V street northwest, 30 years' service; Mrs. Annie L. Henry, tissue separator, 643 Massachusetts avenue northeast, 21 years' service; Mrs. Gladys V. Patterson, rotary perforator, Fort Foote, Md., 20 years' service, and Juliet A. Harper, assorter, 509 Seventh street southwest, 29 years' service. Members of the Patent Alumni Association at the Washington College of Law hold a social meeting and smoker at the college at 8 o'clock tonight. Graduates of Armour Institute, Chicago, will be honor guests. All Armour graduates in the Federal service and especially those in the Patent Office are invited.

Bob Burns Says—

I got an Aunt Trude who's been an old maid for 40 years—which means she's been on a man hunt all her life but the men saw her comin' first an' they took to the woods an' kept on goin'! I couldn't blame 'em much at that because Aunt Trude ain't exactly a synonym for sex appeal. But she sure knows how to cook an' if a man could just sit at home an' eat all the time, he an' Aunt Trude would get along swell. But just as soon as he'd get his fill an' look around an' see Aunt Trude, flashin' her mouthful of store-teeth at him, he'd get an acute attack of indigestion followed by cold feet. Her face has fallen from disappointment so many times that she can't have it lifted any more. I finally took pity on her an' suggested she join a Correspondence Club an' win her a husband, sight unseen. She tried it an' it almost worked. But when the guy she'd lined up got one look at her, he let out a yell an' had her arrested for usin' the mails to defraud!

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PRIVATE LIVES — By Edwin Cox

MARY BOLAND'S
PRIZE PEKES HAVE THEIR OWN BOUDOIR — NOT ONLY WITH DOWN-PILLOWED BEDS, BUT WITH FRAMED PICTURES OF THEIR CANINE FRIENDS
— EACH AUTOGRAPHED WITH A PAW!
yours truly
THOUGH HE GETS A MODEST SALARY FROM THE CANADIAN GOVERNMENT, THE QUINTS' FAMED DR. DAFOE HAS NEVER BEEN PAID FOR BRINGING THEM INTO THE WORLD. HE SENDS PAPA DIONNE A BILL EVERY MONTH FOR $10
INDIA'S FABULOUSLY RICH MAHARAJAH OF GWALIOR HAS A STERLING SILVER MINIATURE TRAIN THAT CIRCLES THE DINING TABLE OFFERING CIGARETTES TO THE GUESTS.

Starting Sunday, January 15, Private Lives will also appear in The Sunday Post color comic section.

Contract Bridge

By Florence Osborn.

One of the commonest situations in bridge is the squeeze and yet few declarers are alert to the many opportunities they have for making an extra trick through this play.

Today's Hand

North-South Vulnerable

NORTH DEALER

North: ♠ A Q J 8 5 ♡ 6 2 ◇ A 5 3 ♣ K 10 3

West: ♠ K 10 9 3 ♡ 7 3 ◇ 9 8 4 2 ♣ 9 7 5

East: ♠ 6 ♡ K J 10 9 8 4 ◇ Q J 7 ♣ Q J 8

South (Costikyan): ♠ 7 4 2 ♡ A Q 5 ◇ K 10 6 ♣ A 6 4 2

The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1 ♠	Pass	2 NT.	Pass
3 NT.	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: 7 ♡

In today's hand Simon Costikyan, importer, developed two extra tricks by noticing that one of his adversaries was troubled for discards and executing a squeeze on his hand.

This is the way he described it:

"We bid three and made six on this hand. You will agree that it would have been foolhardy to bid a slam.

"West opened the heart seven from a short suit. I won with the queen and finessed the spade jack. I returned to my hand with the club ace and finessed the spade queen. East showed out, discarding a heart. It looked like an ordinary four no-trump hand so I played the ace of spades on which East discarded another heart; then another spade, a heart by East, a club from my hand and West won. I kept the small heart as I sensed that East was in trouble. He took more time thinking about his successive discards. West returned a heart, which I won with the ace, I went to dummy with the ace of diamonds and this was the situation:

North: ♠ 8 ♡ None ◇ 5 3 ♣ K 10

West: ♠ None ♡ None ◇ 9 8 4 ♣ 8 7

East: ♠ None ♡ K ◇ Q J ♣ Q J

South: ♠ None ♡ 5 ◇ K 10 ♣ 6 4

"The spade eight was led, and East was squeezed. He could only discard the jack of diamonds, hoping West had the ten. I threw the club four, as I must keep the heart for another squeeze. Now I played the diamonds, dropped his queen and then played the ten. East gave up, as, whatever he discarded, I could win the rest of the tricks."

Civil Service Urged For WPA Rolls

Declaring an undertaking of such duration as the WPA should be administered according to the best procedures, C. I. Stengle, president of the American Federation of Government Employes, urged Congress yesterday to extend civil-service status to all WPA administrative employes.

Baltimore Underwriters To Join Conference Here

More than 500 members of the Baltimore Life Underwriters Association were invited yesterday to attend the annual sales conference of Baltimore-Washington insurance men January 20, it was announced by Harold D. Krafft, general chairman of the local group's sales committee.

Today's Radio Highlights

The important and fascinating role that has been played by pigeons as an important adjunct to the U. S. Army's communications service is told on the American School of the Air's "New Horizons" program—WJSV, 2:30 p. m.

Paul Reynaud, French Minister of Finance, speaks from Paris, his address entitled, "France Is Sound"—WJSV, 6:45 p. m.

Franchot Tone is guest star on tonight's Kate Smith show—WJSV, 8 p. m.

Harold L. Ickes, Secretary of the Interior, and Frank E. Gannett, owner of the Gannett newspapers, present their views on tonight's Town Meeting of the Air program on the subject, "Do We Have A Free Press?"—WMAL, 9:30 p. m.

Republican running mates in the 1936 Presidential campaign—former Gov. Alfred M. Landon and Col. Frank Knox of Chicago—speak before a mass meeting of South Dakota farmers on "Parity in Purchasing Power for the Farm"—WMAL, 10:30 p. m.

Harold E. Stassen, newly inaugurated 31-year-old Governor of Minnesota, is speaker on a special program originating in Minneapolis—WJSV, 10:45 p. m.

The Post Radio Time-Table

Thursday, January 12. — Washington — Eastern Standard Time.

	WMAL 476M—630KC	WRC 316M—950KC	WOL 229M—1,230KC	WJSV 206M—1,460KC
6:00		Gordon Hittenmark		6:00
6:15		" "		6:15
6:30	Today's Prelude.	" "	News	6:30
6:45	" "	" "	Art Brown	6:45
7:00	" "	" "	" "	Arch McDonald 7:00
7:15	" "	" "	" "	" " 7:15
7:30	PDS Presents	" "	News	" " 7:30
7:45	" "	" "	Art Brown	" " 7:45
8:00	" "	News	" "	News 8:00
8:15	" "	Gordon Hittenmark	" "	Arch McDonald 8:15
8:30	Earl Godwin	" "	News	Magic Carpet 8:30
8:45	The Clemens	" "	Art Brown	Arch McDonald 8:45
9:00	Interlude	News, Happy Jack	" "	" " 9:00
9:15	Breakfast Club	Mary Mason	" "	" " 9:15
9:30	"	"	Waltz Themes	Wom. M'ke News 9:30
9:45	Gospel Singer	" "	News; Police Fl.	Bach. Children 9:45
10:00	Story of Mouth	Central City	Famous Farmers	Kitty Kelly 10:00
10:15	Keeping Fit	John's Other Wife	Human Side	Myrt and Marge 10:15
10:30	Ranch Boys	Just Plain Bill	Traffic Court	Hilltop House 10:30
10:45	Garden Talk	Woman in White	Singing Strings	Stepmother 10:45
11:00	Mary Marlin	David Harum	Freshwater's B'd	Mary L. Taylor 11:00
11:15	Vic and Sade	Lorenzo Jones	Musical Potpourri	Rhyt'm, Romance 11:15
11:30	Paul Page	Widow Brown	Get This to Music	Big Sister 11:30
11:45	Popular Waltzes	Tropical Moods	Comm. Calendar	Aunt Jenny 11:45
AFTERNOON PROGRAMS.				
12:00	Southernaires	News, Music	Luncheon Music	Tower Town T. 12:00
12:15	News	The O'Neills	News	Nancy James 12:15
12:30	National	Devotions	Organ Recital	Helen Trent 12:30
12:45	Farm and	Singers	Richardson's Or.	Gal Sunday 12:45
1:00	Home Hour	Jean Ellington	The Happy Gang	Goldbergs 1:00
1:15	Farm News	Escorts and Betty	Romany Trails	Life, Beautiful 1:15
1:30	Peables	Encores	Tony Wakeman	Road of Life 1:30
1:45	Quartet	Happy Gilmans	" "	Day Is Ours 1:45
2:00	Social Science	Betty and Bob	" "	Irene Beasley 2:00
2:15	" "	Grimm's Daughter	Girl From Maine	Vesta Eoles 2:15
2:30	Light Opera	Valiant Lady	Tony	American School 2:30
2:45	Selections	Church Hymns	Wakeman	of the Air 2:45
3:00	Grand Slam	Mary Marlin	News	Aladdin's 3:00
3:15	Revue	Ma Perkins	Tony Wakeman	Kitchen 3:15
3:30	Hoosier Hop	Pepper's Family	" "	Arch McDonald 3:30
3:45	Between Bookends	Guiding Light	" "	" " 3:45
4:00	Club Matinee	Backstage Wife	" "	" " 4:00
4:15	" "	Stella Dallas	" "	" " 4:15
4:30	" "	Vic & Sade	" "	" " 4:30
4:45	News	Girl Alone	" "	" " 4:45
5:00	Biltmore Boys	Dick Tracy	Evening Shadows	Cur. Questions 5:00
5:15	Time Types	Your Family, Mine	Jimmy Scribner	Arch McDonald 5:15
5:30	Don Winslow	Jack Armstrong	Stoka's Orch.	Melody Madcaps 5:30
5:45	Tom Mix	Orphan Annie	Cocktail Capers	Tex Walker 5:45
EVENING PROGRAMS.				
6:00	Tarheel Tatler	News,	Sports Resume	News, Music 6:00
6:15	News	Home Folks F'lic	Jane Anderson	Hawie Wing 6:15
6:30	Incidentally	Dr. Sheeky	Walter Compton	Arch McDonald 6:30
6:45	Lowell Thomas	Rhythms	Variety Program	Paul Reynaud 6:45
7:00	Easy Aces	Amos 'n' Andy	Fulton Lewis, jr.	Endless Music 7:00
7:15	Mr. Keen	Vocal Variation	Radio Harris	Adv. in Science 7:15
7:30	Quiz of Two Cities	Dreams	Don't Believe It	Joe Penner 7:30
7:45	" " "	Come True	Popular Medley	" " 7:45
8:00	Interesting	Rudy Vallee	Green Hornet	Kate Smith 8:00
8:15	Neighbors	" "	" "	" " 8:15
8:30	Coolidge Quartet	" "	Sinfonietta	" " 8:30
8:45	" "	" "	" "	" " 8:45
9:00	Philharmonic	Good News of	News	Maj. 9:00
9:15	Orchestra	1939	Concert	Bowes 9:15
9:30	America's	" "	Famous First	Amateur 9:30
9:45	Town Meeting	" "	Facts	Hour 9:45
10:00	" "	Music Hall	Concert Revue	Tune Up 10:00
10:15	" "	" "	Pres. Birth'd Col.	Time 10:15
10:30	Col. Frank Knox	" "	Hamilton's	" " 10:30
10:45	" "	" "	Orchestra	Gov. Stassen 10:45
11:00	News	News, Sports	News	News 11:00
11:15	Music as You	Modern	Welk's Orch.	Safety Quiz 11:15
11:30	Desire It	Music	Griff Williams'	Cab Callo- 11:30
11:45	" "	Maestros	Orchestra	way's Orch. 11:45
12:00	Night Watchman	Jack Denny's	Glen Gray's	Sammy Kaye's 12:00
12:15	(Until 2 a. m.)	Orchestra	Orchestra	Orchestra 12:15
12:30		Reichman's	Jan Garber's	Henry King's 12:30
12:45		Orchestra	Orchestra	Orchestra 12:45
1:00		Sign off	Harbeck's	Weather 1:00
1:15			Orchestra	Forecasts 1:15
1:30			Dance Music	Sign Off 1:30
1:45			" "	" " 1:45
2:00	Sign off		" "	" " 2:00

Are You Listening?

EVER GO TARPON FISHING, ED? BOY, THAT'S SPORT, AN' I DON'T MEAN MAYBE.
TO-MORROW I'VE GOT TO HAVE THIS TOOTH PULLED
THOUGHT
WE'RE GOING DOWN TO THE SHARK RIVER IN MARCH—BILL LONG, LEW, VAN, DUNC AN' I. THE PLACE IS FULL OF TARPON
I DON'T KNOW WHETHER TO TAKE GAS OR NOVOCAINE
THOUGHT
WE FISH FOR 'EM WITH LIGHT TACKLE AN' FLIES. THE BONBRIGHT FLY IS OUR FAVORITE.
GAS IS OKAY, BUT I LIKE TO KNOW WHAT'S GOING ON
THOUGHT
OUR PARTY CAUGHT TWENTY TARPON LAST YEAR. BILL'S UNCLE LANDED ONE WEIGHING 135 POUNDS
IT'S NICE THOUGH TO WAKE UP AND FIND THAT IT'S ALL OVER
THOUGHT
I HOOKED INTO ONE LAST YEAR THAT MUST'VE WEIGHED 150 POUNDS. WELL, SIR, HE MADE ONE LEAP, AN'—
DOC McLAUGHLIN THINKS THREE OR FOUR OUGHT TO COME OUT, BUT—
THOUGHT
WHAT'S THAT? 150 POUNDS? HOW'D YA LOSE IT? DIET? EVERY TIME I GO ON A DIET I PUT ON WEIGHT
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TERRY AND THE PIRATES

Pal

BY MILTON CANIFF

WE'RE MERELY GUESSING—BUT IF BARON DE PLEXUS HAS SOMETHING SHADY GOING ON—HE MAY HAVE NEEDED TO GET YOUR BROTHER DILLON OUT OF THE WAY!
I RECKON YOU'RE NOT FOOLIN' ME ONE BIT, PATRICK RYAN...YOU REALLY THINK MY DARLIN' DILLON IS DEAD... NOW DON'T YOU?
I DID THINK SO AT FIRST... BUT IT WOULDN'T BE SMART TO PLAN SOME BIG ENTERPRISE—THEN ATTRACT ATTENTION BY PULLING A MURDER TOO EARLY....
...ANYHOW, WE'RE GOING UP TO THE BARON'S PLACE, ACTING AS A GEOLOGICAL PARTY—AND LEARN WHAT WE CAN! TERRY, CONNIE, BIG STOOP AND I SHOULD BE ABLE TO DENT THIS PUZZLE SOME WAY!...
NO—COME TO THINK OF IT—TERRY HAD BETTER STICK AROUND HERE TO SORT OF PROTECT YOU, APRIL!

BIG CHIEF WAHOO

BY SAUNDERS AND WOGGON

HERE'S A MESSENGER WITH MY SONGS FOR TOMORROW NIGHT—WHAT SHALL I DO MR. WAHOO?
READ UM NAMES, PATSY!
THEY'RE "MY HEART'S ON STRIKE," "HONEY, MEET ME AT THE BALL" AND—OH, I SEE THE MESSAGE! THE FOURTH WORDS TELL IT—"STRIKE AT HALF PAST EIGHT!" THAT'S THE HOUR THEY'VE SET TO BLOW UP ALL UNITED STATES AIRPLANE FACTORIES!
OKAY—NOW LISTEN! YOU TAKE UM BALE OF MUSIC—PICKUM SONGS THAT GOTTUM RIGHT NAMES TO SAY THIS MESSAGE—
I'LL DO IT—BUT I'M SCARED, MR. WAHOO———A LITTLE!
IN A WASHINGTON HOTEL ROOM
IS THE GIRL READY, KARL? THERE MUST BE NO SLIP-UP IN HER BROADCAST TOMORROW NIGHT!
SHE IS READY—AND IF SHE FAILS US, WELL, YOU KNOW WHAT HAPPENS TO PEOPLE WHO INCUR THE WRATH OF KARL VULCHER!

MICKEY FINN

Intuition!

BY LANK LEONARD

SO SUNNY REALLY LIKES HIS TEACHER, DARLING?
YEAH—HE THINKS SHE'S SWELL. AND I—GOSH—HERE SHE COMES NOW!
THIS IS QUITE A COINCIDENCE, MISS FORWARD—WE WERE JUST SPEAKING ABOUT YOU!
AND I WAS JUST TELLING MISS WHITE, HERE WHAT A GRAND LITTLE BOY SUNNY IS!
I GUESS I FORGOT TO THANK YOU YESTERDAY FOR WALKIN' HOME WITH HIM!
OH, I ENJOYED IT, REALLY! HE SAYS THE CUTEST THINGS!
SHE'S SURE INTERESTED IN SUNNY, AIN'T SHE?
DON'T BE SUCH A SAP, TOM! IT AIN'T SUNNY!

DIXIE DUGAN

In Love

J. P. McEVOY AND H. J. STRIBEL

NOT ONLY HAS DIXIE BEEN ACTING STRANGELY LATELY BUT SOMETHING IS ALSO WRONG WITH MICKEY!
NOW, YOUNG LADY, TAKE A DEEP BREATH!
SNNNIFFFFF!
SAY "AH"—!
AHHHHHHHHH!
DO YOU FEEL LIKE YOU HAVE THE MEASLES—CHICKEN POX—MUMPS—INDIGESTION—AND INSOMNIA, ALL AT ONCE??
OH, YES, UNCLE BEVVY!—ONLY WORSE!
I THOUGHT SO! YOUNG LADY, YOU'RE IN LOVE!
GULP
OH GEE!!!

DONALD DUCK—

A Pioneer Blazes the Trail

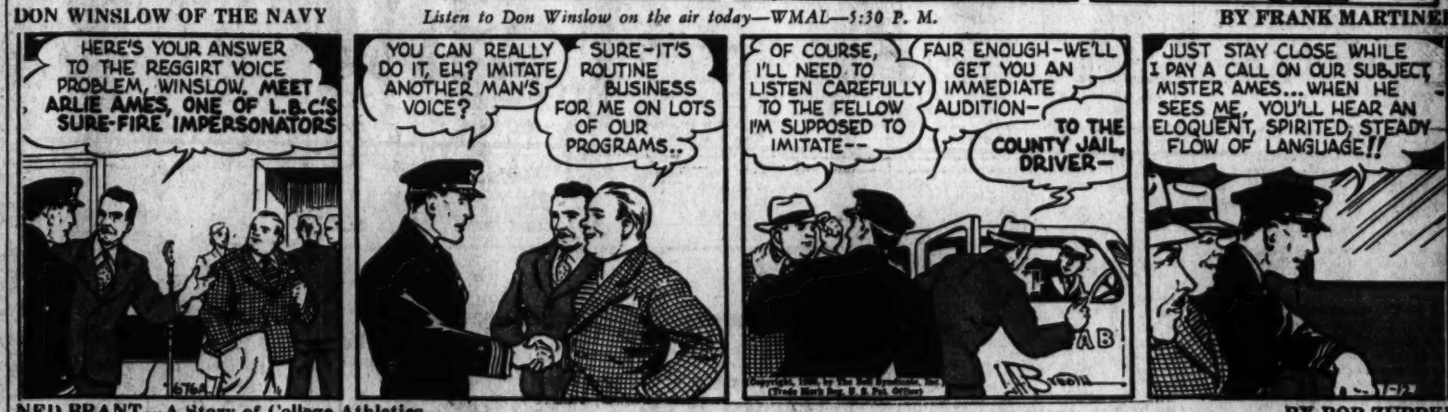
BY WALT DISNEY

WELL, BOYS—GOT YOUR BOBSLED SLIDE ALL FINISHED?
YES, UNCA DONALD—
ALL BUT
ONE LITTLE THING!
OKAY, BOYS—I'LL TEST IT!
HEY!
UNCA DONALD!
WE'RE SORT O' PLANNIN' A LITTLE TUNNEL HERE, UNCA DONALD!

DON WINSLOW OF THE NAVY

Listen to Don Winslow on the air today—WMAL—5:30 P. M.

BY FRANK MARTINEK


HERE'S YOUR ANSWER TO THE REGGIRT VOICE PROBLEM, WINSLOW. MEET ARLIE AMES, ONE OF L.B.C.'S SURE-FIRE IMPERSONATORS
YOU CAN REALLY DO IT, EH? IMITATE ANOTHER MAN'S VOICE?
SURE—IT'S ROUTINE BUSINESS FOR ME ON LOTS OF OUR PROGRAMS..
OF COURSE, I'LL NEED TO LISTEN CAREFULLY TO THE FELLOW I'M SUPPOSED TO IMITATE—
FAIR ENOUGH—WE'LL GET YOU AN IMMEDIATE AUDITION—
TO THE COUNTY JAIL, DRIVER—
JUST STAY CLOSE WHILE I PAY A CALL ON OUR SUBJECT, MISTER AMES...WHEN HE SEES ME, YOU'LL HEAR AN ELOQUENT, SPIRITED, STEADY FLOW OF LANGUAGE!!

NED BRANT—A Story of College Athletics

BY BOB ZUPPKE

ALL RIGHT, BLUDGEON—TELL HIM TO COME IN
WE MAY HAVE MADE A MISTAKE BY ASKING HIM TO WAIT!
WE'VE GOT TO BE HARD TO SEE, NED—IT MAKES US LOOK VERY IMPORTANT.
I'LL BE THUMBING THROUGH THIS BATCH OF OLD ORDERS
THIS IS MY PARTNER, MR. BUD SHEKELS
SORRY TO KEEP YOU WAITING, SIR, BUT WE WERE BALING UP THE DAY'S RECEIPTS FOR TRUCKING TO THE BANK
I NEED A PERSONAL SECRETARY IN MY BUSINESS
WE HAVE JUST THE BOY FOR YOU AND HE CAN READ AND WRITE, TOO

APPLE MARY AND DENNIE

By Martha Orr

LISTEN ALICE, YOU'VE GOT THE KID ALL WRONG.
HE DIDN'T HAVE ANYTHING TO DO WITH YOUR FATHER'S DISAPPEARANCE, I KNOW.
FATHER SAID THE KID WAS WANTED BY THE POLICE. IS THAT SO?
HUH—W-ELL—ER—
YOU KNOW ABOUT HIM, THEN? THE KID IS WANTED. I'M GOING TO CALL THE POLICE!!
?
O, NO YOU DON'T!

Daily Cross Word Puzzle

ACROSS.

1 Oriental nurse
6 English royal line
10 Outer coat of wheat
14 Valley
15 Stage whisper
16 Eternal city
17 Bavarian river
18 Downy quilt
19 Holly
20 Palpitate
22 Point in law
23 About
24 Gamester
26 Shade
27 Genus of rodents
30 Shared
32 Horned viper
35 Prize
37 Babylonian god
38 Grafted: her.
39 Astounded
42 Tear asunder
43 Ethiopian captain
44 Possessing feeling
45 Work unit
46 Gamboled
48 Bitter vetch
49 Wolframite
50 Delirium
52 Pleasantry
53 Flower plat
56 Candia
60 Celestial bear
61 Arenaceous
63 Lamb's pen name
64 Lament
65 Mexican fiber plant
66 Sisters
67 Pleasure ground
68 Perplex
69 Cheerfulness

DOWN.

1 Entrance
2 Reduce to pulp
3 Axillary
4 King of Judea
5 Youngster
6 Molecule: ender
7 Amusements: Fr.
8 Poems
9 Soak, as timber
10 The ocean
11 Character
12 Verily
13 Contiguous
21 Two-footed animal
23 Diving bird
25 Pertaining to a Judge's chamber
26 Render harsh
27 Rhythm
28 Introduce
29 Pricked
31 Morsel
32 The tarsus
33 Con
34 Hangs
36 Finis
38 Early French coin
40 Smart blow
41 Containing iodine
46 Ocelot
47 Color coarsely with rouge
49 Start the flivver
51 Gomuti palm
52 Reservoir
53 Malayan canoe
54 Ridges of sand
55 Ignoble
57 Jewish month
58 Tooth
59 Naturalness
61 Kindred: Scot.
62 Eventually

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER.

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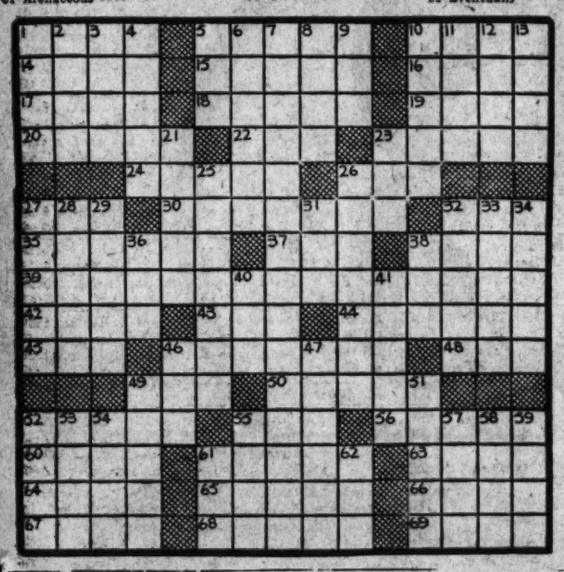
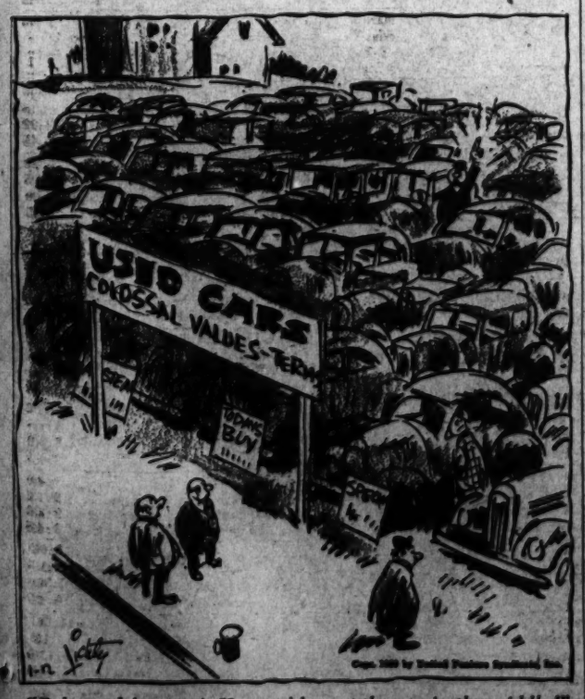


Grin and Bear It

By Lichty



"Pshaw—I knew it! He would want the one in the middle!"

Does the public approve of Mrs. Roosevelt's activities as First Lady? Look for the Gallup Poll in The Post this Sunday

Bedtime Story

By Thornton W. Burgess.

Mistaken Judgment

The Old Naturalist is quite right. This is why it often is wisest and safest to have more than one judge of a matter where there is chance of failure to see all the evidence or, to be mistaken in what is seen.

There was great excitement in the Old Orchard, for a dreadful thing had happened. At least that is the way it seemed to Sue who had seen the whole affair from a window of Farmer Brown's house. Dotty the Tree Sparrow and Slate the Junco with a lot of their companions had been feeding on the ground near the feeding-shelf that Farmer Brown's boy keeps supplied with food for the birds all winter. Sue loved the little brown-coated Tree Sparrows and the little slate-coated Juncos.

With no warning whatever a gray bird no bigger than Mocker the Mockingbird appeared in the midst of the flock. Where he had come from Sue couldn't tell. It seemed as if he just dropped out of the sky. There was a wild flurry of wings as the Sparrows and Juncos flew in all directions, each seeking shelter with all the speed it could command.

"They were in a terrible fright and for a minute I couldn't understand it, for the Mockingbird has been around so long and the others never have seemed afraid of him. Then I saw what he had done. Tommy, he had killed one of those Sparrows! That is what he had done, killed a Sparrow!" Sue told Farmer Brown's boy.

'Did you say that Mocker did that?" asked Tommy looking puzzled.

"I certainly did!" replied Sue. "I thought I liked him, but I don't now. He's horrid. I think he's awful. What did he want to kill one of those dear little Sparrows for?"

Tommy shook his head and his face still bore that look of puzzlement. "Mocker the Mockingbird is sometimes scrappy. He's a good fighter but he isn't a killer of smaller birds. That couldn't have been Mocker," said he.

"But I tell you I saw him!" cried Sue, stamping a foot. "I guess I know what I saw with my own eyes. He killed that poor little Sparrow and then picked it up and flew away with it. I don't see why you feed him and so keep him about, Tommy Brown, I wouldn't. No, sir, I wouldn't! There he is now this very minute on the shelf. I don't care if he is the most wonderful singer of all the birds, he is dreadful."

It was true that Mocker had just alighted on the feeding-shelf. He began to eat the seedless raisins that had been put out there especially for him. Tommy looked at him and Tommy's face wore a puzzled frown. Suddenly his face cleared.

"That wasn't Mocker you saw kill that Sparrow!" he exclaimed.

'It was too!" declared Sue. "I saw him as plainly as I see him now."

"No, you didn't," contradicted Tommy. "You thought you did, but you didn't. That wasn't Mocker at all."

"Then who was it?" demanded Sue. "That bird was mostly gray and Mocker is the only bird of that size dressed in gray around here."

Tommy shook his head. "It is just a little mistake on your part," said he. "There is another fellow in gray who visits around here some winters. I haven't seen him this winter, but now I know he is here, for he would do just what you saw done."

"Who is he?" Sue wanted to know. It was plain to see that she was not yet convinced that it was not Mocker she had seen.

"Butcher the Shrike," replied Tommy. "That is who it was."

"I've got to see him before I will believe I was mistaken," declared Sue stubbornly.

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Md. Assembly Recesses After Inaugural

Adjourns Until Tuesday After Committeemen Draw Assignments

By the Associated Press.

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 11.—Speculation as to whether the 1939 Legislature would be "different," and buckle down to work promptly, died dismally today when the home-loving assemblymen drew their committee assignments, helped inaugurate a new Governor, and speedily adjourned until next Tuesday night.

Today's was a holiday session, overshadowed by the ceremonious and colorful installation of Herbert R. O'Conor as the State's chief executive. What little legislative business was done was done in a hurry.

Committee appointments, announced in both houses, settled a long behind-the-scenes fight in the Senate and produced at least one surprise in the House.

Roe Floor Leader

On the Senate side, the veteran Queen Annes County assemblyman, Senator Dudley G. Roe, was confirmed as chairman of the powerful finance committee and a majority floor leader, turning back the bid of Senator James Lindsay (Democrat), Baltimore County, who was the only other serious contender for the post.

Roe, service his fourth term and hence dean of the upper house in point of service, is a Washington College graduate and prominent in Eastern Shore banking and agricultural circles. He is active in one of the Eastern Seaboard's largest cash grain businesses.

Delegate John White (Democrat), of Prince Georges County, won expected selection as chairman of the House ways and means committee, which carries with it the majority floor leadership of the lower branch.

Heads Judiciary Committee

The surprise on the House committee list was the appointment of Milton Tolle, veteran Baltimore County Democrat, as chairman of the judiciary committee, second-ranking House appointment. Leon Abramson (Democrat), of Fourth Baltimore District, who had previously been mentioned as a possibility for Speaker and for ways and means chairman, was regarded as a certainty for the judiciary chairmanship.

Tolle is dean of the House, having served continuously since 1922. Abramson was named chairman of the third-ranking insurance and loans committee. His appointment to the judiciary committee was strenuously and successfully opposed by blocs he had defeated in a number of previous legislative battles.

Gorfine Wins Post

Senator Emanuel Gorfine (Democrat), Fourth District, Baltimore, Speaker of the House last session, was appointed chairman of the Senate committee on judicial proceedings, a signal accomplishment for a "freshman" Senator.

Named to serve with Roe on the potent Senate finance committee were Senators Lindsay, Philip H. Dorsey, jr. (Democrat), St. Marys; David J. Ward (Democrat), Wicomico; Cecil Squier (Democrat), Cecil; Earl Bennett (Republican), Carroll; John Funk (Democrat), Frederick; Joseph D. Mish (Democrat), Washington; Wilmer Carter (Democrat), Third District, Baltimore; Louis Phipps (Democrat), Anne Arundel; Humphrey Wolfe (Democrat), Howard; James T. Kennedy (Democrat), Sixth District, Baltimore; John G. Callan (Democrat), Second District, Baltimore; Robert B. Kimble (Republican), Allegany, and Wilmer Fell Davis (Republican), Caroline.

Twenty-four Democrats and two Republicans comprise the House ways and means committee, which with the Senate finance committee, are the two most important functioning committees in the Legislature.

Hearing to Debate Bond Proposal Set At Winchester

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Winchester, Va., Jan. 11.—Proposed improvements aggregating $265,567, on which costs have been estimated, have been suggested for inclusion in a proposed bond issue for capital improvements in the City of Winchester.

Whether to petition a bond issue election will probably be determined at a public hearing on the 1939 budget to be held at the city hall tomorrow night.

Most of the proposed projects are for paving and other street work but the largest items are for sewer and water system development, including a new reservoir in the north section of the city for emergency use at a cost of $53,000 and a new sewage system for the Harris Addition at a cost of $50,000. An auxiliary sewage disposal plant would cost $18,000. For completion of curb and gutter work in the central section of the city it is estimated $25,000 will be required.

Mrs. Mary L. Blincoe Buried in Charlottesville

Charlottesville, Va., Jan. 11.—Funeral rites for Mrs. Mary Lewis Blincoe, 40, who died at University Hospital from injuries received in an automobile accident near Christiansburg on New Year's Eve, were held this morning.

Her husband, Dr. James W. Blincoe, assistant professor of mathematics at the University of Tennessee, at Knoxville, is under treatment at University Hospital for a broken leg and head injuries, sustained in the same collision, in which their daughter, Miss Cornelia Winston Blincoe, escaped unhurt.

Pains In Back, Nervous, Rheumatic?

Wrong foods and drinks, worry, overwork and frequent colds often put a strain on the Kidneys and functional kidney disorders may be the true cause of Excess Acidity, Getting Up Nights, Burning Passages, Leg Pains, Nervousness, Dizziness, Swollen Ankles, Rheumatic Pains, Puffy Eyelids, and feeling old before your time. Help your kidneys purify your blood with Cystex. Usually the very first dose starts helping your kidneys clean out excess acids and this may quickly make you feel like new. Under the money-back guarantee Cystex must satisfy completely or cost nothing. Get Cystex (Siss-tex) today. It costs only 3c a dose at druggists and the guarantee protects you.

Changes Few as Banks in the Four-State Area Elect Officers, Directors at Annual Meetings

Annual elections and organization meetings were held this week by many banks in the four-State area (Virginia, Maryland, West Virginia and the southern part of Pennsylvania). The only changes, generally, were new directors to fill vacancies caused by deaths during the year.

Among the leading banks which held annual meetings and results of their elections are the following:

Loudoun Banks

Leesburg, Va., Jan. 11.—Two new directors were added to the Loudoun County banks in annual meeting here. They are C. Irving McKimmey, Lovettsville farmer, added to the directorate of the Loudoun National Bank. Last week the Middleburg Bank added two names to the directorate as was previously reported. Other banks retained intact their directorates.

Winchester Elections

Winchester, Va., Jan. 11.—Three Winchester banks, one in Frederick County, have reorganized for the ensuing year as follows:

Commercial & Savings, Winchester—Directors: Dr. Charles R. Anderson, Howell M. Bond, Fred S. Boyd, George H. Earle, Joseph H. Funkhouser, Dr. E. A. Humston, sr., Charles A. Pine, H. C. Sheets, R. Bruce Slonaker, Clark M. Smith, Dr. E. M. Steele, John I. Sloat. Officers are to be named at a meeting of the board Friday.

Shenandoah Valley National Bank, Winchester—Directors: Frank Armstrong, jr., Stewart Bell, William Beverley, Dr. P. W. Boyd, Harold G. Brown, Harry F. Byrd, jr., M. Lohr Capper, T. Russell Cather, Eugene Cooper, Clifford D. Grim, Nelson Page, Claude R. Cammer and R. Gray Williams.

Officers: R Gray Williams, president; Harold G. Brown, vice president and cashier; E. G. Rusk, assistant cashier and trust officer; J. Few Brown, assistant cashier; Carl T. Cather, assistant cashier.

Farmers & Merchants Bank and Trust Company, Winchester—Directors: Dr. L. M. Allen, William E. Cooper, H. D. Fuller, John D. Glover, Philip H. Gold, Paul M. Haldeman, B. P. Harrison, Theodore Y. Kinzel, Thomas E. Kremer, Brady W. Largent, Charles L. Nicodemus, Ray Robinson, John M. Steck.

Officers: H. D. Fuller, chairman of the board; Theodore Y. Kinzel, executive officer; W. E. Cooper, president; Dr. L. M. Allen and Philip H. Gold, vice presidents; J. H. Yost, cashier; S. Donald McFadden, assistant cashier; C. M. Grim, assistant cashier; G. F. Eutsler, trust officer.

Middletown State Bank, Middletown—Directors: M. H. Rhodes, E. M. Funk, E. L. Humston, E. R. Sperry, E. R. McDonald, H. S. Larrick, B. O. Brumback, J. J. Pickeral. Officers: M. H. Rhodes, president; E. M. Funk and E. L. Humston, vice presidents; W. R. C. Campbell, cashier; W. A. Everly, assistant cashier.

Peoples National of Warrenton

Warrenton, Va., Jan. 11.—The Peoples National Bank of Warrenton, Va., re-elected the following directors:

Eugene W. Allen, W. E. Bishop, Paul D. Bowden, C. H. Bowen, J. Green Carter, D. Turney Day, Alan L. Day, William E. Doeller, Edward E. Jenkins, E. Kenneth Jenkins and J. J. Silvey. Officers elected are: Edward E. Jenkins, chairman of Board; D. Turner Day, president; Eugene W. Allen, vice president; C. H. Bowen, vice president; Alan L. Day, cashier, and D. J. Hatcher, assistant cashier.

The Fauquier National Bank re-elected the following directors: E. L. Childs, T. U. Dudley, A. G. Green, H. I. Hutton, P. G. Marsteller, John C. Rawlings, W. N. Hodgkin, Walter H. Robertson, J. W. Slaughter, George Sloane and Joseph A. Ullman. The officers are: P. G. Marsteller, president; E. L. Childs, vice president, and A. W. Mann, cashier.

Berryville Banks

Berryville, Va., Jan. 11.—The two banks of Berryville—Bank of Clarke and the First National Bank—both declared an extra dividend. The Bank of Clarke declared a regular 2 per cent dividend and added this year an extra 1 per cent. The First National declared its regular semi-annual dividend of 3 per cent and an extra dividend of 2 per cent.

William D. Burtner, the county treasurer, was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the death of D. L. Ramsburg. The following directors were re-elected: J. L. Humston, J. T. Lindsey, A. M. Kerfoot, J. Edward Thoma and A. B. Hummer, who in turn elected the following officers: President, J. L. Humston; vice president and cashier, R. M. Ware; assistant cashier, L. F. Stolle; teller, Frank Humston; bookkeeper, Miss Leona Krouse, and clerk, Maurice Longerbeam.

Southern Maryland National

La Plata, Md., Jan. 11.—At the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Southern Maryland National Bank, the oldest financial institution in Charles County, all of the following officers were reelected: William Carlyle Turner, president; Read Bailey, John M. Cochrane and George O. Monroe, vice presidents; Ruey P. Bowling, John M. Cochrane, A. Carl Gardiner, S. C. Long, William C. Turner, George O. Monroe, J. Read Bailey, Thomas P. McDonagh, directors; Charles N. Dement, cashier, and J. D. Robinson, assistant cashier.

Marshall National

Front Royal, Va., Jan. 10.—Stockholders of the Marshall National Bank & Trust Co., of Marshall, yesterday reelected ten members of the board of directors: P. W. Anderson, J. LeRoy Baxley, Henry Fishback, Robert C. Fletcher, H. L. Gaddis, A. F. Moffett, John T. Ramey, Charles F. Ramey, E. S. Renalds and G. Richard Thompson. Hubert B. Phipps was elected to the vacancy of the 11-man board created by the resignation of Thomas N. Russell, who had been a director since the organization of the bank in 1905.

The board of directors reelected John T. Ramey, president; Robert C. Fletcher, vice president, and P. W. Anderson, cashier.

Farmers & Merchants Trust Co.

Chambersburg, Pa., Jan. 11.—John B. Diehl and Frank B. Leidig were elected directors of the Farmers & Merchants Trust Co. at the annual meeting of stockholders. Other directors were re-elected. Diehl and Leidig fill vacancies caused by the death of J. Linn Diehl and Alex Susong.

Martinsburg Section

Martinsburg, W. Va., Jan. 11.—Yesterday and last night were general election periods for banks in this city and section. Results of general interest included:

Lacy I. Rice re-elected president of Old National Bank, as were W. W. Westphal and Charles G. Smith vice presidents.

A. R. Emmert elected president of Berkeley Loan & Thrift; L. H. Caskey, T. W. Lloyd and E. H. Weller vice presidents; J. W. Lloyd, manager.

Boards of directors at Peoples Trust, Citizens National and Merchants and Farmers banks all re-elected, the boards to organize later at their next regular meeting dates.

In Charles Town W. L. Gibson was added to the board of directors of the Bank of Charles Town, the other nine being re-elected. The board will organize Friday. The present president is former State Senator Milton Burr.

In Shepherdstown C. J. Miller was named president of the board of Jefferson Security Bank, J. H. Hodges vice president.

Citizens Bank & Trust Co.

Charlottesville, Va., Jan. 11.—At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens Bank & Trust Co., the only banking institution organized in this country in the year following the 1929 depression, the following directors were elected for the ensuing year:

K. B. Williams, Charles T. Page, W. L. Lacy, H. E. Evans, C. W. Sandridge, Dr. Hunter Williams, Edward W. Scott, H. D. Mawyer, C. Armonde Paxson, Prof. Tipton R. Snavely, Ernest R. Duff, Thomas L. Farrar, Richmond T. Miner, jr., W. H. O'Malley and E. L. Bailey.

Officers named by the directors are Thomas L. Farrar, president; Richmond T. Minor, jr., vice president and trust officer; W. Hilton Robertson, cashier; W. B. Trevillian, assistant cashier, and C. Armonde Paxton, counsel.

Commercial Bank

Fredericksburg, Va., Jan. 11.—Officers and directors of the Commercial Bank were re-elected at the annual stockholders meeting yesterday. They are E. M. Young, chairman of the board; G. W. Shepherd, president; G. B. Wallace, vice president; W. Mayo Smith, cashier; W. E. Biscoe and L. H. Biscoe, bookkeepers; G. W. Shepherd, G. B. Wallace, W. Mayo Smith, E. M. Young, G. W. Perry and G. R. Swift, directors.

Farmers Told To Seek Seed Quality Law

Maryland May Become Dump for Bad Seeds, Warns Official

By the Associated Press

Baltimore, Jan. 11.—A warning that Maryland may become the dumping ground for inferior crop seeds was passed on to the State's farmers today as delegates to the Maryland Farm Bureau Federation held their second day of conferences and annual meetings.

Many other States have passed laws which force seed firms to assure certain standards in their products, declared F. S. Holmes, chief State seed inspector.

"Maryland has not, and consequently this State may become a dumping ground for bad seed," he said. "It is up to the growers to do something about it."

R. F. Burdette, assistant professor of farm economics at the University of Maryland, at the same time told the Maryland Vegetable Growers Association that new market facilities are needed in Baltimore if it is to maintain a favorable position with Eastern markets.

He suggested consolidation of several present markets, establishment of a large modern terminal and the building of a regional auction market at some point near Baltimore outside the congested area.

Dr. T. B. Symons, acting dean of the Maryland University College of Agriculture, urged tobacco growers to "go to bat" on marketing and producing problems.

Maryland growers are receiving less than their proportionate share of foreign markets, he said, attributing it partly to production methods and partly to marketing technique.

More than 2,000 representatives from all sections of the State are expected to come here tomorrow for the annual "farm bureau" day of the annual convention.

The meeting will close Friday.

Keyser Worsted Mill Bought by Botany

Special Dispatch to The Post.

Keyser, W. Va., Jan. 11.—Charles G. Proulx, resident manager of the Keyser Worsted Mills, which have been operated for the past two years under an option by the Botany Worsted Mills of Passaic, N. J., today announced that he had been informed by Col. Charles F. H. Johnson, president of Botany, that the company had purchased the mills here. About 100 are on the pay roll here and indications are the number will be increased.

Horse Show Group to Meet

Berryville, Va., Jan. 11.—The Clarke County Horse and Colt Show Association will hold its annual meeting of stockholders Saturday morning in the courthouse in Berryville, for the purpose of electing directors. The association recently declared a 20 per cent dividend, payable to its stockholders as of December 15, 1938.

DRY MARTINI
71 PROOF

COCKTAIL PRIMER

Q. *Why does a bartender shake cocktails?*
A. To chill them — but principally to blend the ingredients.
Q. *Are cocktails at their best immediately after this blending?*
A. By no means! The world's most popular cocktails — the kind served on all fast trains — are blended long before you drink them.
Q. *Is this an advantage?*
A. Decidedly! Instead of being mixed with a quick shake — ingredients have time to "wed" into smooth, delicious perfection.
Q. *How can I get these fine, flavorful cocktails?*
A. By asking your dealer today for Heublein's CLUB COCKTAILS . . . ready-mixed in the bottle.

G. F. Heublein & Bro., Hartford, Conn.

● CHOOSE FROM THESE SEVEN VARIETIES
Dry Martini (71 proof), Martini (Medium Sweet) (60 proof), Manhattan (65 proof), Daiquiri (70 proof), Old Fashioned (80 proof), Side Car (60 proof), and Bronx (60 proof). What isn't used from any opened bottle keeps indefinitely

HEUBLEIN'S The CLUB COCKTAILS

2 Cocktails for 25c — ★With adequate shaker-icing — you get 18 drinks from each CLUB COCKTAIL bottle. At current prices, this averages about two drinks for a quarter, or less . . . depending upon variety.

THE HECHT CO.
F STREET AT SEVENTH — NATIONAL 5100

SPECIAL PURCHASE AND SALE!

500 Sheldon Two Trouser SUITS

IF you were a Clothing Buyer and wanted to put on a special promotion, wouldn't you go to your regular resource? The one from whom you purchase thousands and thousands of garments yearly. We believe you would . . . and that's what our Buyer did!

NOW if you were a Clothing Manufacturer and sold thousands of Sheldon garments to one of your largest distributors, wouldn't you be glad to help the Buyer on this special promotion? You would keep his good will and help move some of the stock on your racks, even though a stiff price reduction was necessary. We believe you would . . . and that's what our Sheldon maker did!

OUR Clothing Buyer went to this Sheldon maker! Had his request granted! And hand-selected 500 of the finest fabrics and patterns in the stock rooms. You'll see hand-selected, hard-finished Worsteds and Twists! Sporty Shetlands and Cheviots! Basketweaves! Subdued Plaids and Checks! Mixtures! You'll see hand-selected, single and double breasted Conventional and Lounge Models! In sizes for regulars, shorts, longs and stouts. REMEMBER . . . EVERY SUIT WITH TWO PAIRS OF TROUSERS AT ONLY $23! Today's the day, but we suggest you shop early.

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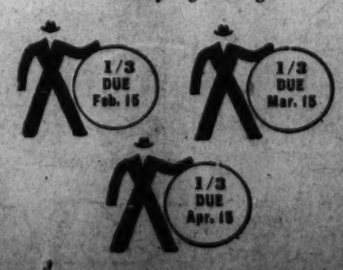
THREE-MONTH BUDGET PLAN
No Carrying Charge!



$29.75 and $35 Sheldon OVERCOATS

You're still going to get plenty of wear out of an overcoat this winter. From all indications the icy blasts will be with us at the end of this month, February and March. Choose from Fleeces, Meltons, Cheviots! Blues, oxfords and browns in single and double-breasted Reglans, Balmacaans and Boxcoats!

24.75

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